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HARE—In ever-loving and everlasting memory of our darling son and brother, Albert Kersley, who died at Wervicq, Belgium, on the 14th October, 1918. Ever remembered by father, mother, sister, and brothers.

O'MALLEY—In sad and ever-loving memory of Comdr. Geoffrey, dearly-loved son of Dr. J. and Mrs. O'Malley, who was killed in action, in Flanders, October 14th, 1918, aged 19 years.
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SADLIER—In everlasting memory of our boy, Frank, second Lieutenant, 2nd Battalion Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, killed in action 14th October, 1918.—3 Sadlier terrace, Enniskillen.

BIRTH.

ORR—October 6, 1927, at 6 Bridge street, Banbridge, to Eva (nee Ramsay), wife of J. T. H. Orr, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

READE and SWITZER—September 21, 1927, at Burrow Methodist Church, by Rev. John Dixon, assisted by Rev. G. A. Joynt, M.A., Ivan G., eldest son of the late William and Mrs. Reade, Baleek Woodcliff, County Kilkenny, to Meta, eldest daughter of Henry R. and Mrs. Switzer, Edmondsbury, Ballacolla, Queen's County.

SACKVILLE and GREENE—September 28, 1927, at Dublin, George, eldest son of Henry and Margaret Sackville, 52a Leinster avenue, to May, youngest daughter of Raphael and the late Margaret Greene, 73 Haddington road, Dublin

SILVER WEDDING.

KELLY and DOYLE—October 14, 1902, at the R.C. Church, Ashford, County Wicklow, by the Rev. James Roche, P.P., James Kelly, formerly of "J." Battery, Royal Horse Artillery, eldest son of the late James and Mrs. Kelly, of Leixlip, County Kildare, to Rosanna Bridget, eldest daughter of the late Henry and Mrs. Doyle, Aboule Cottage, Ashford, County Wicklow.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BATTLE—October 12, 1927, at her residence, Terenure, Catherine, widow of the late James Battle. Deeply regretted. Funeral from church at 3 o'clock to-day (Friday).

CARRIGY—October 13, 1927, at her residence, The Crescent, Dundalk, after a brief illness, Kate Carrigy, Principal Teacher, St. Malachy's Girls' School. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral from St. Saviour's, Dublin, to Glasnevin this (Friday) morning, after 10 o'clock Mass. No flowers, Masses instead.

DALY—October 12, 1927, at his residence, Bridge street, Dundalk, Philip J. Daly, only surviving son of the late John Daly. R.I.P. Funeral this (Friday) morning from St. Nicholas's Catholic Church to St. Patrick's Cemetery, Dundalk, after Requiem Mass at 10.30.

FARRELL—October 12, 1927, John Antony (Sean), second loved son of P. L. Farrell, 4 St. Jane's Villas, Dollymount. R.I.P. Funeral from St. John's Church, Clontarf, after 10 o'clock Mass, to-morrow (Saturday) morning. No flowers, prayers.

GUILLAMORE—October 11, 1927, at his seat, Ingleside Hotel, Wilts, the Right Hon. Frederick Standish, Viscount Guillamore, Baron O'Grady, aged 80. Deeply regretted.

HOLMES—October 12, 1927, at 4 Tros-yr-Afon, Bray, Hester Mary (Maisie), second daughter of the late William Holmes and Mrs. Holmes. Funeral private. No flowers.

LAMBART—October 13, 1927, at a Private Nursing Home, after a short illness, Lillian Fannie Emmangarde Lambart, sixth daughter of the late Gustavus and the late Lady Fanny Lambart, of Beau Parc, County Meath. Funeral at Beau Parc Church on Monday at 12 o'clock.

MILMO—October 13, 1927, at St. Edmundsbury, Lucan, James F. Milmo, last surviving son of Darby Milmo, Esq., Carrowkeel, Ballymore, County Sligo. R.I.P.

MONAN—October 13, 1927, at her residence, 2 Saithill Mansions, Monkstown, County Dublin, Anna Maria, dearly-beloved wife of the late William O'Hara Monan (late Inland Revenue). Interment to take place to-morrow (Saturday).

SIMPSON—October 11, 1927, suddenly, at Albion House, Middleton road, Chadderton, John Whewell Simpson, late of Messrs. Simpson and Jackson, Ltd., Bleachers, Royton, and of Fieldside, Keswick. Interment at Stand Parish Church, Whitefield (near Manchester), to-morrow (Saturday), October 15th, at 12 noon.

STEPHENS—October 12th, 1927, at the residence of his son (Dr Stephens, 77 Ranelagh road, Dublin), Robert S. Stephens, J.P., late of Carrickfergus, County Antrim. Funeral private. No flowers.

TWINEM—October 13, 1927, at her residence, Tarson, Portadown, Martha A., widow of James Twinem. Funeral to-morrow (Saturday) at 3 p.m. to the family burying ground, Seagoe.

WILSON—October 13, 1927, at a City Hospital, Archibald Alexandria Wilson (Archie), beloved husband of Ruth Wilson, 10 Mulgrave place. "With Christ, which is far better." Inserted by his sorrowing wife.

IN MEMORIAM.

BURGESS—In ever-loving memory of William Burgess, The Lodge, Tullow, County Carlow, who passed away 14th October, 1915.

COE—October 14, 1914—In memory of Cecil Johnston Coe and his sister, Birdie. "The trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised."—Mother.

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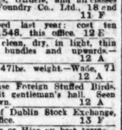

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A LADY inquiring for former Cook.—Will Mollie Snell please reply M 1402, this office? 10 E

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WANTED, good Cook for town; good wages.—M 1602, this office. 12 A

WANTED, good Cook, young, active, single-handed; small airy three maid house; wages £40; country place, King's County. All particulars to "Z 2279, Cork," this office. 13 A

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WANTED, an experienced Cook, good in all branches; must be well recommended; two in family; help given. Apply Dunfillen, Orwell road, Rathgar. 13 B

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EXPERIENCED General Wanted, 1st November, in country house, near Dublin; must understand cook, or washing. Address "Z 2231, this office. 12 A

EXPERIENCED General required for small family, country, must be strong, active, wages £26 month; required 1st October. Address "Z 2245, this office. 12 A

EXPERIENCED General Wanted, must be good cook; South suburbs; wages £30; small washing. Full particulars to M 1652, this office. 13 F

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GENERAL Wanted October 25th; small house, Ballsbridge; help cooking, small washing; good cuttings; wages, all particulars.—M 1405, this office. 10 E

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YOUNG General Wanted; reference required. Apply 51 Blessington street, from 5 to 5.30. 13 B

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A YOUNG Girl required to House Parlourmaid; partly trained might suit.—20 Waterloo road. 10 E

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PARLOURMAID, under a Butler, with odd man, required at once; tall and good appearance. Address "Z 2271, Parlourmaid," this office. 12 A

WANTED, Girl, some experience, under House Parlourmaid, also good Plain Cook; Protestants preferred.—Royle, Ballvarthur, Woodenbridge. 10 E

WANTED, House Parlourmaid, elderly lady, quiet country place; cook kept; £20; New Ross district; age, religion, copies. Address "Z 2160, Maid," this office. 10 E

WANTED, a good House Parlourmaid, age from 30 to 35 Protestant, tall and strong; must be well recommended; good wages paid to suitable person.—Call 7 Knapton terrace, Kingstown. 11 F

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WANTED, reliable Nurse for baby, four months; well recommended; wages £28, living.—M 1345, this office. 10 E

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AN experienced, reliable Protestant Help wishes position, Dublin or near; all duties. Address "Z 2294, Help," this office. 13 F

RESPECTABLE Girl, Daily Worker or Weekly; South side preferred.—M 1619, this office.

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A YOUNG, experienced General seeking situation; 6½ years in last place; no washing; children.—R 0 548, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 13 F

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TWO Sisters seek situations as General and Children's Maid, or both together; 6½ months; good references; city preferred; country girls.—M 1633, this office.

WOULD one or two nice, quiet, elderly people want a superior Girl (not too servant class) as General; 3 years present place; Dublin preferred.—R 0 551, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 10 F

YOUNG General seeks place, city or country; good references.—M 1611, this office. 13 F

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CAPABLE, experienced House or House Parlourmaid disengaged; highest references; town or country.—M 1455, this office. 11 F

EXPERIENCED House Parlourmaid wishes situation; city or country; highest references. Address "Z 2236, Maid," this office. 12 E

EXPERIENCED Parlourmaid disengaged; excellent references; good wages expected. Address "Z 2255, Parlourmaid," this office. 13 F

HOUSEMAID or General, small family; Stillorgan direction preferred; good references.—M 1308, this office.

HOUSEMAID, or House Parlourmaid, disengaged 1st November; good references; near city preferred.—1104, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 12 E

PARLOURMAID seeks situation; Protestant; can curve and valet.—A 37, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 13 B

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DISENGAGED.

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PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN CATTLE, North Circular road, Thursday.—Official register of entrants this morning indicated a slight easing in pressure of supplies of stock, but nevertheless more than enough in each section of market to cover the trade practicable. Besides our regular habitues, there were several newcomers among cattle buyers in shipping interests. Trade for cattle opened with a slight revival in energy and correspondingly firmer tone in values, but unfortunately this improved state of things was only sustained for two or three hours, as coming up to 10 o'clock, when principal export commissions and home victuallers' wants had been satisfied, business lapsed into a much quieter and uncertain routine. Here and there many of the nicer drafts of bullocks and heifers were cashed at a slight appreciation on last Thursday's currencies, but the most that can be said of the money situation generally is that the previous seriously depressed trend in values has been arrested, for the moment at all events. There was, however, a disappointing wind up of market all the same, and a biggish proportional carryover of offerings. With regard to sheep, trade was no better for even choice handy qualities, and, if anything, worse for the plainer and heavy descriptions. Lambs, too, were a narrow, dragging, and discouraging market.

	Numbers on sale this week	Corresponding weeks of 1926	1925
Beasts	4,259 Decrease 429	4,413	5,118
Sheep and lambs	6,649 " 155	5,648	5,378
Veal calves	15 — 16	15	

The gathering of cattle was of mostly useful character, but with a conspicuously small proportion of A1 meated quality. Entries also included many rough-grass beasts of little better than storish character. For choice small weights of steers and heifers up to 40s. per cwt. was more frequently recorded, and for occasional super-grades of A.A. types up to 42s. and 42s. 6d. per cwt. was paid. For big quality, well-finished bullocks there was more inquiry in both South of England and Scotch direction, and for the right character up to 13 and 14 cwt. the comparatively satisfactory figures of 37s. 6d. to 38s. 6d. per cwt. were recorded; in some special cases, perhaps, more, as certain commission men, anxious to get a bunch of uniform weight and class together, were not disposed to hesitate much on the question of 6d. or 1s. per cwt. more or less in price. Best run of cattle, however, must still be quoted inside of 36s. 6d. to 37s. 6d. or 38s. per cwt., and useful commercial classes, say, 34s. to 35s. and 36s. It has become more difficult to gauge values or quote accurately for coarse and inferior cattle. Heifers, it should be mentioned, are still figuring rather out of plumb, with steers when coming up to 10 cwt., and over. Best cows participated in the better tone of beast market, where quality featured prime young, fat cows 27s. 6d. to 30s. and 32s. per cwt., useful sorts 25s. to 26s. 6d.; inferior still at low level.

Market for sheep dragged through slowly, with previous values difficult to maintain, and plainer and heavy descriptions of mutton—in fact, even the choicer small-weights of wethers and hoggets—were more cautiously bid for. Ewes of average class made 46s. to 54s. each, but occasional extra useful-looking pens went 56s. to 58s. or 59s. per cwt. Choice weather mutton 8d. to 8¼d. per lb., medium 7d. to 7½d., inferior 5d. to 6½d. per lb. Plenty of good and useful qualities of mutton could be purchased around 7½d. per lb. Lamb season practically done for general trade; few shipping orders being given, and buyers generally not speculating so much in lamb, and prices now are generally reckoned on mutton basis.

DUBLIN DAIRY CATTLE.—There were rather over 400 milch beasts of one class or another, but mostly heifer milchers, on market yesterday. Trade was scarcely as good, or so well sustained, as on that on last day, but particularly good cows of outstanding merit, both heavy capacity types and heavier classes for shipment, were just as keenly sought for, and made about previous value. For home dairy purposes however, trade was quieter and prices showed some weaker undertone. Choice run of heavy cows from £25 to £28 each, extra good occasionally a pound or two more. For best run of fresh dairy stock prices were from £19 to £24 and £25 each, and for small and ordinary sorts, say, 13 to £16 each. Best quality heifers in milk from £20 to £24 and £25 each, others from £14 to £18, and very numerous inside these values.

DUBLIN PIG.—There was a slight increase in the supply of swine, here yesterday, totalling 1,200. Trade was altogether minus any competitive pretension, and values in the provision trade offices do not maintain and without cohesion. There were a few cross-Channel men in evidence, but their support was of little account to the market. The principal buyers were again pork butchers. For tip-top quality hogs of suitable weights prices were around 46/- to 48/6 per cwt., and for A1 qualities 46/- to 47/6 per cwt., heavier and plainer sorts of hogs were from 70/- to 77/6, and inferior lean sow pigs were from 47/6 to 54/- and 55/- per cwt. The market was difficult to sell up, and many of the bonhams and slip pigs prices were very irregular, and at a comparatively cheap level at the moment, being down to 20/- and 25/- each for healthy lots of good size, and even less offers.

BRISTOL.—Beef in fair supply, 84/- to 86/-. Mutton in average supply, 1/- to 1/1, lamb 1/2 to 1/3. Store cattle, 600 offered, but trade slow, which were £22 to £25, extras £30.

YORK.—Rather fewer Irish store cattle but a good show of home-reared steers. Owing to low price of beef farmers buy slowly, and trade depressed. Smaller entry of English; light show of dairy cattle, prices about late rates. Big entry of sheep, including many Irish, but trade slow, and prices not quite so good as last week.

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FOR Sale, Copper Boiler, 47lbs. weight.—Weir, 71 Lower Camden street. 12 A

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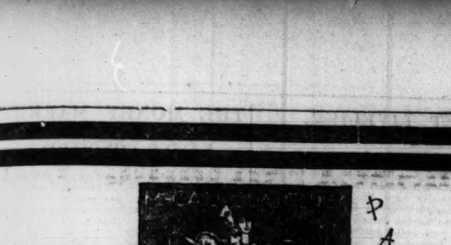

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IRISH RAILWAY TRIBUNAL.

THE CARRIAGE OF WILD ANIMALS.

The Irish Railway Tribunal, consisting of Judge O'Brien, K.C. (chairman), and Messrs. John R. Kerr and Henry Mangan, sat in the City Hall, Dublin, yesterday, to consider the conditions governing the conveyance of traffic by passenger trains on the Great Southern Railways.

The Chairman said that a number of regulations had already been very carefully considered. Some of them were very intricate.

Mr. Kelly agreed as to their intricacy, and said that it was necessary to make them as explicit as possible in the public interest. For that reason it would be well to err on the side of caution and avoid complaints by the public.

The Chairman expressed the opinion that it would be well to classify goods and merchandise.

The Tribunal then proceeded to examine *seriatim* the conditions and the regulations in regard to goods, minerals and live stock.

WILD ANIMALS.

Answering the Chairman, Mr. Elliott, traffic manager, Great Southern Railways, said that they were not bound to carry wild animals, but they carried them nevertheless.

The Chairman observed that under the Act merchandise was supposed to include animals of every description. Did that include wild animals?—I would not say that it did.

Mr. Kelly thought that the words "wild animals" might be deleted. They should leave it optional for the company to carry such animals. At the same time he might say that the company would continue to carry them, but not by special trains, and when carrying them they would charge special rates. There was a wild animal rate.

The Chairman said that the Tribunal had excluded wild animals from the classification of live stock, but would alter that by allowing them to be carried at the discretion of the company and on the sole responsibility of the owner. The condition would apply to bears and lions.

WINE.

In connection with the subject of personal and passenger luggage, the Chairman asked if that would include, for instance, a case of champagne.

Mr. Elliott said that a case of wine would not be personal luggage. Recently, he added, the company had a claim for £100 for a ring which, it was alleged, had been extracted from a passenger's luggage.

The Tribunal adjourned until October 26 next.

Mr. W. E. F. Manning and Mr. R. W. Marshall represented Messrs. A. Guinness, Son and Co., Ltd. Mr. E. W. Salfe represented the Irish Railway Traders' Committee. Mr. J. Ingram was present on behalf of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce. Mr. E. J. Kelly (instructed by Mr. F. de Vere White) represented the Great Southern Railways Company.

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE BRIGADE.

A dance, in aid of the funds of the Welfare Dining Room, St. John Ambulance Brigade, will be held in the Metropole Ballroom, Dublin, from 8 to 12 o'clock to-night.

The report of the Welfare Department, which is doing good work, states that a further sum of £50 is required.

Messrs. Horlick's Malted Milk Company, Ltd., of Slough, have acquired from Messrs. Thew, Hooker and Gilbey, Ltd., a subsidiary company of the United Dairies, Ltd., the business known as "Hooker's Malted Milk."

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

MALICIOUS DAMAGE AND ASSAULT.

OLD OFFENDER IN COURT.

(BEFORE MR. E. A. COLLINS.)

Joseph Edelstein, aged about 40 years, of no fixed address, was charged with having, between 7 and 8 o'clock on Wednesday night, maliciously broken two ornamental electric lamps, value £10, erected outside the hall-door of 4 Harrington street, the property of Dr. Wigoder, by striking them with a walking-stick. He was also charged with having assaulted a boy named James Ferris at Camden street by striking him with a walking-stick, as a result of which the boy had to be surgically treated.

Dr. Wigoder, giving evidence, said that at about 7.30 p.m. on the previous day he heard a loud knock at his door, followed by a tinkling of glass. He went out and saw the defendant at the door, brandishing a large stick. He closed the door, and soon afterwards heard another crash of glass. He subsequently saw the defendant standing on his path. Two large globes of standard lamps were broken.

The lad, James Ferris, gave evidence that, after leaving a fish shop in Harrington street, he saw the defendant at the footway before him and stepped on to the roadway to pass him, when Edelstein struck him over the eye with a stick.

The defendant volunteered to give evidence, and when he got into the witness box he requested to be sworn on the New Testament in Christian fashion. When he was handed the Testament he looked at the Justice and smiled, but did not give evidence.

The excuse given by Edelstein for his conduct was that he had been drinking brandy and port wine. On the first charge he was sentenced to two months' hard labour and on the second charge to one month, the sentences to run concurrently.

The Defendant—Calendar months, sir!

The Justice—Calendar or lunar months—whichever you like.

The Defendant—Lunar months would be more suitable. (Laughter.) I suppose I shall have to do hard labour!

The Justice—Yes.

TRACTOR AND TRAILER.

HEAVY MOTOR PROSECUTION DISMISSED.

(BEFORE MR. LITTLE.)

John D. Wallis, 33 Bachelor's Walk, forage contractor, was summoned for permitting a motor car to be used at Albert quay, Kingsbridge, without being fitted with a reflecting mirror, and for permitting a heavy motor car to be used at the same time and place without having painted thereon the registered weight of the axle and the highest rate of speed at which the car might be driven—viz., twelve miles an hour.

The case for the prosecution was that both the motor car and trailer should be taken as one, according to the definition of unladen weight in the Roads Act of 1920. The weight of the tractor was 1 ton 9 cwt. and the weight of the trailer 1 ton 17 cwt., making 3 tons 6 cwt., the two constituting a heavy motor car. The trailer was necessary to the tractor, and was ordinarily with it.

Mr. E. H. Burne (Messrs. Gerald Byrne and Co.), for the defence, submitted that the tractor and the trailer were separate and distinct vehicles, and that the tractor was capable of being used without the trailer.

The Justice held that the tractor drawing the trailer was not a heavy motor car, and, therefore, under the existing Act, the tractor and the trailer could not be classed as a heavy motor within the meaning of the Act. Accordingly, he dismissed the case.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Friday, October 14.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS UACHTARACH (the Supreme Court).—For Monday, 17th October, 1927, at 11 o'clock:—For Hearing—Foy v. Clarke (part heard). To be Mentioned—Gillman v. Becher.

AN PRIMH BHREITHEAMH (the Chief Justice).—In the supreme Court, at 11 o'clock:—Petitions—12th Section, General Solicitor; 13th do., White and Means; 52nd do., Joan Foley; 124th do., J. Mullen, incontinent; Fuller, minor; Blayney, minors. Before Mr. Magahan, at 10 o'clock—Ven. sc., Fox and Lyons; do., Montgomery and Claxton; do., J. Quail; do., P. Morris.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS (the High Court).—In Court 1. Motion—Maguire v. Lipton.

BANKRUPTCY.—In Court No. 2, at 11 o'clock:—Arrangements—Cox and Co., S. G. Rutherford, P. M. Seales, O'Connor and Co., Collins and Son, Scallan and Co., Collins and Son, Cousins and Lyons, by motion, Malley and Co.; Moore, do., D. and T. Fitzgerald, Dalton, do., J. Childer; Magee, do., F. A. W. Furefoy; Dillon, do., Casey, Clay and Collins; Dowling, do., J. and E. Mackey, do., C. J. Rutherford; arrangt., do., H. D. Draper; Kavanagh, do., T. C. Graham; Irwin, do., Peebles, Knox and Pigot; Wilson, do., Harris Hoblard and Davidson; O'Doherty, first public sitg., O'Meara and Kiernan; Guthrie, do., W. Smyth and Son; Byrne, first meetg. comp., J. H. Callan and Sons; Kelly, do., Cox and Co.; Carolan, first public sitg., Scallan and Co.; Byrne, final exam., Thompson and Edwards; Kavanagh, do., Hamilton and Craig; Regan, do., Smyth and Son; Waldron, do., Thompson and Edwards; Daly, do., Haren and Sons; Fadden, do., Thompson and Edwards; Fairhurst, do., Maxwell, Weldon and Co.; Isaacson, do., W. V. Goodall; Curran, do., do.; Yourell, do., Smyth and Son; Treanor, do., witnesses, A. T. Ellis; M'Cann, do., W. V. Seddall; arrangt., do., comp., Little and Cullen; do., do., T. J. Graham; do., do., J. J. Shell; Labeen, do., J. Lee; Allen, Shewan, audit and dividend, Malley and Miller; arrangt., audit mortgee. ac., Casey, Clay and Collins.

IN COURT 3.—At 11 o'clock—Roe v. M'Mullan. Before the Special Commissioners, at Dublin Castle, at 11 o'clock. In Court 4. Eastern Circuit—Devoy v. Hanlon, part heard; Forrestal v. Cope; Dermody v. Mullins; Doyle, and another v. M'Hugh; O'Brien v. Walsh. South-Western Circuit—Montesqie v. O'Brien; Harvey v. Sullivan; Murphy v. Hurley. Midland Circuit—M'Loughlin v. M'Loughlin; M'Cormick v. Shanahan. Cork Circuit—Hosford v. Riordan; I.L.O. v. Murphy.

PROBATE.—In Court No. 6, at 11 o'clock. On Notice—In the goods of Thomas Boyd, deceased; John T. M'Glynn, deceased; John W. Donworth, deceased. Reports adjourned by the Master into Court—In the goods of John Coghlan, deceased.

IN COURT 6 (at the conclusion of Probate).—On Notice—Corbett, the Co. Galway Board of Health and Public Assistance; Provincial Bank v. O'Grady and others; same v. same; Malone v. Malcolmson; Murphy v. Murphy; Meister v. O'Loughlin; Treacy v. same; Robinson v. Robinson; Ryan v. Duggan; Moloney v. M'Grath; Burke v. Beatty; Harlow v. Croghan; Alesbury v. Allen; Delmege v. O'Grady; Ryan v. Somers; Munster and Leinster Bank v. Sinnott; Byrne v. Curran; Rex v. M'Donnell; Barling v. Waters; Palmer v. Kent; Williamson v. O'Malley.

CIRCUIT APPEALS.—Before the Special Commissioners, at Dublin Castle, at 11 o'clock. In Court No. 5, Dublin Castle, at 11 o'clock—Appeals from District Justices. Civil Actions—Coffey and another v. M'Woods and another; Walker v. Fitzpatrick; Fagan v. Chase; Rush v. Cosgrave; Norton v. O'Brien; Sayers Smyth and Co. v. Wisely; Ryan v. Graham; Fox Film, Ltd., v. Great Southern Railways Company; M'Mahon v. Graham v. Hanafan; Dublin United Tram Co., Ltd., v. Lane; Brennan v. O'Connor; Bailey (J.) v. O'Brien; Bailey (T.) v. O'Brien. Before the Assistant Circuit Judge, at Dublin Castle, at 11 o'clock. Ejectments—Lucey and others v. Moran; O'Brien v. Publicans—Fleming v. Carter; Bradfield v. Campbell; Berry v. Behan; Dancock v. Shein; Hutler v. Bradshaw (Henry); same v. same (rent); same v. Bradshaw (Charles) (rent); same v. Richard and others; Flinter v. Gannon.

COURT OF THE RAILWAY TRIBUNAL.—For Wednesday, 26th October, in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Dublin, at 11 o'clock—Further consideration of the Great Southern Railways Company's proposed Conditions of Carriage to be included in the Book of Passenger Train Traffic Regulations.

Books of the Week.

"PILGRIM SCRIP."

"MORE Random Reminiscences" is the sub-title of Sir John Ross's new book—a breezy volume of anecdotes. One day when Lord Roberts had breakfasted, Sir John Ross took him to the Dublin "Zoo" to see the Batteleur eagle. "This strange bird had an amusing habit of spreading out his wings and then bowing to the ground three times, accompanying his prostration with a deeply reverential sound. When Lord Roberts came to the cage I presented him," Sir John Ross says, "with his full titles, to the bird, which then expressed his homage in the usual way. The Field-Marshal was absolutely astonished, and, drawing himself up, he responded with a most formal military salute."

Some of Sir John Ross's stories recall happily irresponsible days that now unhappily are gone. On one occasion, he says, a distinguished Japanese statesman who had been an enthusiastic advocate of the introduction of Christianity into Japan and was himself a profound theologian, was being entertained at the Kildare Street Club. He praised its grandeur and said that he supposed that among its members were to be found the high ecclesiastical dignitaries. His host, being somewhat embarrassed, made an evasive reply. On coming out to the hall the guest said that he craved the honour of being presented to some of them. His entertainer, in despair, looked round and his eye rested on a ruddy-faced and hard-swearing squire. Advancing to him with many winks and signals indicating the part that he was to play, the host introduced the hope of Asia, announcing that the squire was the Archbishop of Ulster and Leinster.

The Jap, Sir John Ross says, "approached his pretended Grace with many reverences, and finally almost dropped on all fours. Then a theological discussion took place in which the squire, urged on by threatening gestures, made heroic efforts to keep his end up. On coming to take the guest elsewhere, the host heard the squire exclaim: 'Justification by faith. By gad, sir, if there's one thing I go nap on—it's that.'"

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Many good stories of the legal profession are told. "It was always a great joy to the Bar wags to find a credulous reporter who could be imposed upon to publish an account of some bogus case among the ordinary law reports," he says.

On one occasion a barrister who had bought a fine house in Merrion square was showing it to a friend, whom Sir John Ross chooses to call Jinks. "On parting, he kindly invited Jinks, when he felt so disposed, to come in and have a warm bath in his luxurious bathroom. A few days afterwards there appeared among the law reports the case of the King v. Jinks, in which it was stated that counsel for the Crown had applied to the King's Bench Division for a writ of *Lavare* to wash Jinks. A learned judgment was reported."

"Pilgrim Scrip." By Sir John Ross, Baronet. London: Jenkins. 18/- net.

RECENT FICTION.

SOME IRISH NOVELISTS.

SEVERAL novels by Irish authors have appeared recently. First Mr. de Vere Stacpoole, world-famous for his iridescent novels of blue lagoons and pearl fishers, is on ground which he has made peculiarly his own in "The Mystery of Uncle Bollard," and the result is a tale that hurries us along over "miles of water thrashed by the wind to cornflower blue," from San Francisco, "City of Youth and High Adventure," down to "The Islands," back to the Golden Gate, along to Los Angeles, and, finally, over the bay to Avalon, aptly-named pleasure island of the rich. To all the customary charm of Mr. Stacpoole's narrative is added the excitement of a police hunt for a murderer, and in Uncle Bollard he has created a very real and likeable character.

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Is it Celtic influence which is responsible for the light and graceful narrative touch displayed by W. Seymour Leslie in "The Silent Queen"? Although the author formally disavows autobiography, his pictures of "The Vanished Spaciousness of the 'Nineties" have the stamp of authentic memories, and that glimpse of the old castle in the West of Ireland could have been vouchsafed only to one for whom it had kindly family associations, mellowed by time. It is more clear-cut than his impressions of other countries (outside England), which, with the exception of that "America of grave modesty and simplicity, where money and success is not everything," are given to us as vignettes. In the matter of portraiture the author avoids laboured limning, and presents his characters in a series of flashes. It is an unusual, and, in many ways, a brilliant novel. The illustrations by Miss Nina Hamnett also are unusual.

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After the flowing ease of Mr. Stacpoole's narrative and the light, tripping style of Mr. Leslie, "The Valley of Mist," by Michael Doone, is a tedious affair. It is marred with errors of fact. The pivot of the plot is wholly impossible. The idea that a young priest who has confessed to murder—and got off with the extraordinarily light sentence of three years in Mountjoy—could marry his childhood's sweetheart, return in triumph and settle down in his native village, is preposterous to anyone who knows Ireland. Earlier in the story the hero is described as going to the fair "dressed in breeches, green coat, billycock hat, and armed with a shillelah," which is a further indication of the vast distance separating the author from the real Ireland.

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"Echo," by Shaw Desmond, is a vivid reconstruction of ancient Rome and the Circus Maximus. The hero is a red-headed Celt who found his way there some two thousand years ago, and, who, in the twentieth century, has the past recalled—with more detail than has been noticed as yet in any "ancestral memory"—by a glimpse in an old London garden of his lady love of the long ago, "before love and all the beautiful dreams had gone a-begging in the sand of the Roman arena." It is done with all the skill which we have come to expect from this Irish author, whose temperament is such a curious blend of poet and realist. There are many beautiful passages, and some which, for brutal realism, hardly could be surpassed. J. A. P.

"The Mystery of Uncle Bollard." By H. de Vere Stacpoole. Cassell. "The Silent Queen." By W. Seymour Leslie. Cape. "Valley of Mist." By Michael Doone. Hutchinson. "Echo." By Shaw Desmond. Duckworth. 7/6 net apiece.

"WARE VENICE."

THE Authors of "Ware Venice," who have many clever novels to their credit, now present us with a thrilling romance that, doubtless, will be appraised as outstanding in the batch of new autumn fiction. The story is concerned with the Spanish plot against Venice, chiefly organised by the Ambassador, the Marquis Bedmar, in the year 1618, and a groundwork of shifting chicanery and violence is magically interwoven with the enduring beauty and serenity of nature. Rosalind Amber, the young English woman, whose strange love-story is played out with little interlude between peril and panic, makes an alluring heroine; but in Desmond O'Donnell, the reckless and, withal, mystical Irishman, who attains the highest spiritual peak in sacrificing himself for the beloved, we have a creation whom we are the better for having known.

"Ware Venice." By K. L. Montgomery. Hutchinson. 7/6 net.

ALARCON IN ENGLISH.—Alarcón, one of the most popular Spanish novelists of the last century, won fame with a tale in the tradition of the tales of roguery, "The Three-Cornered Hat." A translation has been made by Mr. Martin Armstrong and illustrated in spirited manner by Mr. Norman Tealby, yielding a handsome volume. (London: Howe. 12s. 6d. net.)

In some aspects the modern has become so absurd that it cannot be caricatured.—Mr. G. K. Chesterton.

LORD BIRKENHEAD AND MR CHURCHILL.

THE score of essays in two volumes by the Secretary of State for India, if not all of the same high standard, reveal his ability to survey mankind from China to Peru in entertaining and illuminative fashion. It is amusing to find him turning the other cheek, as it were, to Lady Oxford in a short essay entitled "The Truth about 'Margot Asquith.'" He is on his own ground in the articles on "The Gladstone Case and Cognate Topics," "Law and the Public," "Breach of Promise of Marriage," "The King's Proctor," and "Divorce Law Reform"; yet he manages to submerge the lawyer sufficiently to save the essays from being caviare to the general.

Some of the other essays prompt the reader to speculate as to how far the time and place of original publication influenced the writer. Good breeding sometimes must be a handicap when writing for the moment, while there are also other considerations to clog the pen. For example, one would have expected at least a passing reference to Ireland in the very sound article on "Patriotism and the Monarchy." For most readers the most interesting chapter in the two volumes will be that brief fragment of autobiography styled "Milestones of My Life."

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AT first "Ephesian's" volume, which he styles "an account of the life" of Mr. Winston Churchill, irritates because it is written in the historic present tense, after the fashion prevalent amongst minor novelists a decade ago; but his intimate knowledge of his subject and the skill with which he handles it soon makes the reader oblivious of this mannerism. The author says that Mr. Churchill is "half a Pitt and half a Puck." As to the Puck element, its existence will be denied by few who have studied Mr. Churchill's career: as to the Pitt characteristics, the author does his best to demonstrate them by many illustrations.

Summarising the case *pro* and *con* in a paragraph, he says:

"On the one hand, profound knowledge, industry, a meticulous sense of humour, moral courage, and an infinite capacity for responsibility; and, on the other, ingenuity, fearlessness, a loathing of hypocrisy and casuistry, and boundless enthusiasm. His enthusiasm is certainly sometimes misplaced, and he makes corresponding errors of judgment."

"Ephesian" believes that, as Mr. Churchill grows older, the Pitt element will dominate the Puckish nature more and more.

The author defends his subject on almost every point, including his activities during the war. In the matter of the war, indeed, he considers that no soldier showed more foresight; that the Antwerp affair was a work of vital importance, and that Mr. Churchill was in no way to blame for the terrible failure in the Dardanelles. Despite his whole-hearted admiration, apparent in every page, "Ephesian" is frankly baffled by the many facets of his subject.

"Law, Life and Letters." By the Earl of Birkenhead. London: Hodder and Stoughton. Two volumes. £2 2/- net.

"Winston Churchill." By "Ephesian." London: Mills and Boon. 10/6 net.

"New Wine," by Geoffrey Moss, is the romance of a little French girl married to an invalid husband and domiciled in Rumania. In order to keep herself and her husband she takes a job in a cabaret, and, although her intentions are strictly honourable, she soon finds herself in a most invidious position. So far, Mr. Moss has rambled on conventionally enough, and as the situation becomes more tense he prepares the reader for the usual dramatic *coups* which one expects in such a story. Actually he springs a big surprise, and just when the reader has made up his mind that the ending is obvious, he is brought face to face with what in real life might be a very much more obvious ending. It is rather clever of Mr. Moss, and redeems a lot of the commonplaces in which he indulges earlier in the book.

"New Wine." By Geoffrey Moss. Hutchinson. 7/6 net. W.H.Co.

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Masters of the Colour Print. Vol. III.—Emile Vergilleux. Modern Masters of Etching (16).—William Walcot, R.E. London: The Studio. 5/- net each.

BIOGRAPHY AND HISTORY.

Correspondence of King George the Third. Edited by Sir John Fortescue. London: Macmillan. 2 Vols. 25/- net each.

Hellenistic Civilisation. By W. W. Tarn. London: Arnold. 16/- net.

British Documents on the Origins of the War, 1898-1914. Edited by G. P. Gooch and Harold Temperley. Two Vols. London: The Stationery Office. 10/6 net each.

Kiel and Jutland. By Commander Georg von Hase. London: Skeffington. 7/6 net.

Recollections of a Russian Diplomat. By A. Savinsky. London: Hutchinson. 21/- net.

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Welsh Drama Series: The Beaten Track. By J. O. Francis. London: Samuel French. 2/6 net.

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Dick Valliant, Naval Cadet. By Lieutenant-Commander John Irving. London: Sceley Service. 5/- net.

The Hepzibah Hen Book. By Oliver Bowen. London: Benn. 3/6 net.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Theocritus: The Second and Seventh Idylls. Translated by C. S. Calverley. Woodcuts by Elizabeth Rivers. **Adonais.** By Shelley. Illustrated by Agnes Pinder Davis. London: Lane. 5/- net each.

The Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries. By Sir Francis Floud. London: Putnam. 7/6 net.

Shell Life. By Edward Step. London: Warne. 7/6 net.

The Four Dominions. By Trevor Smith. London: Selwyn and Blount. 2/6 net.

The Harvest of the Woods. By Edward Step. London: Jarrolds. 5/- net.

The Arts of Hockey. By Eric Green. Hutchinson. 4/6 net.

Television for the Home. By Ronald F. Tiltman. London: Hutchinson. 2/6 net.

Willis's Workmen's Compensation (25th Edition). London: Butterworth. 15/- net.

Twentieth Century Essays and Addresses. Edited by W. A. J. Archbold. London: Longmans, Green. 4/6 net.

Among Our Banished Birds. By Bentley Beetham. London: Arnold. 10/6 net.

Realities of Rest Life. By Edmund Selous. London: Constable. 14/- net.

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Gerard's Herbal: or General Historie of Plantes. Edited by Marcus Woodward. London: Howe. 21/- net.

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Christ and a Mad World. By the Rev. Walter Wynn. **The Riddle of Spiritualism.** By E. Cleghan Palmer. London: Rider. 4/6 net each.

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What I Believe (I).—I. Believe in God. By A. Maude Royden. **The Belief of Catholics.** By Father Ronald Knox. **Religion without Revelation.** By Julian Huxley. London: Benn. 7/6 net first two. 8/6 net the last.

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ANATOLE FRANCE.—The latest volume in the cheap edition of the works of Anatole France published by Messrs. John Lane, contains "Marguerite" and "Count Morin," two tales, France's long essay on Alfred de Vigny, and a series of papers concerning the Great War.

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN PROFIT-TAKING.

GUINNESS UNDER BEST.

Outside half a dozen specialities, mostly in the Manufacturing and Industrial sections, business on 'Change yesterday was not conspicuous by either activity or strength, and prices fluctuated on profit-taking, especially at the close, when some rather free selling pressure developed and upset prices more or less all round. The "boom" condition of the Guinness market was distinctly evident at the opening, when the price, after opening at 46, touched 46½, or 2½ over the previous day's top quotation, but immediately profit-taking was indulged in, and quotations slipped back gradually to 46 sellers, while at the later session the reactionary tendency continued, and finally 45½, a rise on the day of 1½, was recorded. Distillers eased further to 58s. 6d. Marconi Ordinary were lively, and the price was carried up on further substantial support to 27s., a rise of 2s., but later 26s. 3d. was the closing figure. Rail Ordinary quoted higher, especially for Co. Downs, which rose sharply. Great Southern Ordinary was the turn harder, but the Guaranteed gave way ½ to 50. Debenture and Preference issues did not alter. Dublin United Tram Ordinary were a shade better at 80s. 7½d. Parent Trust Preference eased, but the Deferred rose. Coats were very active and firm at a slight recovery. Courtaulds were buoyant and touched 7½, but closed a little under this figure. Imperial Chemicals and British Match were both realised, and closed very dull markets at a decline. Dunlop Rubber Ordinary were active and strong once more, and closed 1s. 4½d. higher. Textiles generally were inclined to vary a little, with Spinners and Cottons bid for and Bleachers easier. Tobaccos varied. "Bats" eased, but Imperials of Canada were harder. British Celanese recovered nearly 10s. a share, and Branstons were well held at 16s. 4½d., despite profit-taking. Shell Transports advanced.

LONDON QUIET.

RALLY IN BRITISH CELANESE.

Dealings in the London Stock Markets as a whole yesterday were on a somewhat quieter tone, but there was still a number of strong features, more particularly among Industrials, where British Celanese rallied smartly. The usual idleness associated with the settlement was in evidence in the gilt-edged section, but despite the slackness of interest a generally steady to firm tone ruled. Little of interest transpired among Foreign Government Stocks, but a firm tone still ruled in Home Rails, but towards the close a reaction set in, and in several cases part of the initial improvements were lost. Colonial and Foreign Rails were easier inclined.

Considerable activity was evident in the Industrial section, and a firm tone ruled. Foremost, perhaps, was the recovery in British Celanese to 5⅞ and a rise in Courtaulds to 7½, the latter on the negotiations which are taking place by the Courtauld associated companies to acquire the Tubize Company, with its Celanese rights. Gramophones advanced sharply at first, but eased later, while Match issues came into demand again. Dunlops were another firm spot, and Marconis improved further. An irregular tendency characterised dealings in Rubbers, while Oils weakened after early strength. Mines generally were idle and little altered.

IRISH RAILWAY CLEARING HOUSE.

At a meeting of the General Managers' Conference, held at the Irish Railway Clearing House, 5 Kildare street, Dublin, on 13th instant, Mr. B. Stephens, General Manager of the Great Northern Railway (Ireland) was unanimously elected Chairman of the Conference for the year 1928.

COATS RUMOURS.

The *Financial News* states that the technical staff of Coats has been investigating the suitability of the Paisley mills for artificial silk production, and it is believed that their researches have proved most encouraging. Coats—so the rumour goes—will manufacture on behalf of or in collaboration with Courtaulds, the latter concern having more work on hand than can be undertaken in its own works. The fact that the American subsidiary of J. and P. Coats recently entered the artsilk field certainly lends colour to the story, though the company now denies the rumours that are being spread about regarding its business.

TRANSVAAL DIAMONDS.

The Western Transvaal output of alluvial diamonds for August was valued at £470,000, an increase of £127,000 upon the July result. The diggers held back the June and July production owing to the indifferent prices which then prevailed. An improvement occurred in August. The biggest stone weighed 41 carats, and was valued at £1,538.

UNITED STATES OF BRAZIL 6½ PER CENT. LOAN OF 1927.

The subscription list for the issue of £7,000,000 6½ p.c. Sterling Bonds of the above Loan was closed at 9.15 a.m. yesterday (Thursday) morning, the amount having been heavily oversubscribed. Country applications received by first post to-day (Friday) will be given consideration. The prospectus appeared in the *Irish Times* yesterday.

TUBIZE AND CELANESE.

A Brussels telegram states that the decision of the Court of Arbitration, in which the Tubize Company won the decision in the right to use Celanese processes in Belgium and other European countries, is now in the Tribunal for registration. The decision confirms the rights of the Tubize Company in the whole of Europe, with the exception of Russia. The managers of the Tubize Company are now in Berlin for negotiations with the Vereinigte-Glanzstoff-Fabriken.

DUPLICATING A SEAL.

Commenting on the Northern Banking Company's report, the *Financial Times* says: More interesting than the actual report is the indication given by suggested additions to the regulations of the company that the political separation between Northern Ireland and the Irish Free State adds to the difficulties of firms transacting business in both territories. The complications, naturally, will tend to become more pronounced as the Free State diverges more from the purely British code of laws. One of the proposed new articles of the bank, for instance, is intended to give power to the directors to deal with the situation as it will exist in consequence of the new currency legislation. It is also intended to set up branch registers in the Free State, while power is to be taken under the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, to obtain and use outside the United Kingdom a facsimile of the common seal of the company. The facsimile, the law lays down, must bear on its face the name of the territory where it will be used, and it will no doubt be employed solely in the Irish Free State. Duly affixed by an authorised agent, such a seal will be as binding on the bank as the existing common seal.

LINEN THREAD COMPANY.

The transfer books of the Preference shares will be closed from 17th till 31st inst., both days inclusive, preparatory to payment of half-year's dividend on 1st prox.

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LONDON CHANGES.

In the Gilt-edged section there were no striking price changes.

In Foreign Government Stocks here and there lower values were returned. Chinese issues, however, were firm, and the 5 p.c. 1912 were finally a point better at 36½. Among the Reconstruction Loans German issues dropped a point to 105, while Peruvian Corporation Ord. at 15½ and the Pref. at 54 were ½ and ¼ lower respectively.

RAILS STEADY.

Home Railways made a strong start, but later on an easier tendency developed, and early improvements were discounted in several instances. Metropolitan Consols provided a firm market, and the closing value was 2 points firmer at 58½, while Districts showed an advance of ½. North-Eastern 5 p.c. Pref. Ord. at 41 and Southern Pref.-Ord. at 72½ and the Def.-Ord. at 38 were all ½ to the good. Underground Ord. stiffened to 18s. 9d., or 3d. above Wednesday's value.

Colonial and Foreign Rails were easier in places. B.A. Pacifics dropped ¼ to 97, while the Western at 94 were also ½ lower. Antofagasta Ord. and Central Argentine Ord. were also both ¼ lower, while United Havana recorded a similar loss to 74. "Canpacs" were held at 200.

RUBBER SHARES IRREGULAR.

The volume of business passing in the Rubber Share market continued on an extremely small scale, while an irregular tendency prevailed. In the Commodity market the raw material was in slow request; spot and Oct. fetched 1s. 4d., 1s. 3¾d. and 1s. 4d. per lb., while Nov. sold 1s. 4d. to 1s. 4¼d.; Jan. to March realised 1s. 4¾d. and April to June 1s. 5d. In the Share market, Bah Lias made a better showing, and the final level of 44s. 4½d. c.d. was 1s. 10¾d. better, while Kuala Muda at 38s. 9d. and Telogoredio at 61s. 3d. were each 1s. 3d. firmer. Straits Rubber stiffened to 21s. 3d., or 7½d. harder, and Rubber Trusts were quoted 39s. 3d. c.d. B.N.B.R. Trust Pref., on the other hand, went off to 73, or a point down; while the Defd. lost 2½ to 15s. Grand Central dropped 9d. to 35s. 3d. c.d., and Lendu at 18s. 9d. were 1s. 3d. easier.

TEA SHARES QUIET.

Dealings continued on a quiet scale in the Tea Share market, but the tendency was easier. Actual price movements, however, were not numerous, but of those recorded the majority were against holders. Amalgamated Estates were dull, and lost ½ at 50, while Cons. Tea and Lands at 37s. were also 1s. easier. Ceylon Plant. dropped 2s., and Chargola at 26s. were 1s. down; while Jorehaut slumped to 94s., or 2s. 3d. below their overnight level. Moabund went back to 59s., or 1s. down, and Labonga and Makum each shed 6d. on the day. Imperials were marked 1s. 6d. better to 58s., while Lungla at 29s. 9d. were 9d. firmer. Deundi stiffened the turn, and small improvements were recorded in Assam Cons., Eastern Assam, and Upper Assam.

OIL SHARES FEATURELESS.

Business in Oil shares yesterday was of a steady character, and, although there were some interesting fluctuations in certain of the leading counters, there were no really outstanding features. As a matter of fact, the price movements finally recorded were few in number, small in amount, and irregular in character. Among the leading issues, Anglo-Persians and Burmahs attracted the bulk of attention. A firm start was made by Anglo-Persians, the shares advancing to 3¾ in the early hours. From this point a set-back occurred to 3¾, followed by a rally to 3¾, which left them unchanged. Burmahs, after rising to 4⅛ buyers, receded to 4⅜, and closed at 4⅛, the result being a gain of ⅛. A steady business was transacted in Shells, which, after weakening to 4¾, left off without alteration at 4¾, the Deferred shares also being unchanged at 4⅞. Mexican Eagles Ord. and 8 p.c. Part. Prefs. developed an easier tendency, losing 3d. both at 17s. 1½d., but the 7 p.c. First Prefs. remained steady at 18s. 9d. A moderate amount of offering was the cause of a loss of ⅛ in Y.O.C. Ord. at 3⅜, and the Prefs. at 3⅛. British Controlled were inclined to harden in the early hours, but finished without alteration. In other directions, Lobitos, after having been bid for at 4, came back shrunken to 3⅞, but improved later to 3¾, or ⅛ down on the day. Kern Rivers closed easier at 11s. 9d., despite satisfactory production figures for the past month.

INDUSTRIALS STEADIER.

The Industrial market, as a whole, had a steadier appearance yesterday, with an active business passing in several directions. Less excitement was witnessed in Celanese issues, which, after the shakeout, trended upward again, with transactions on a fairly large scale. British Celanese Ord. showed hesitation at the opening, but the prices gradually improved in response to supporting orders, finishing 1¾ higher on balance at 5⅞, with the Pref. 1s. 1½d. to the good at 33s. 7½d. and the Bonds closing at 3¾ prem. Courtaulds were in renewed evidence on reported Cartel negotiations, the closing price of 7½ leaving them with a net gain of ⅝. Nurses strengthened, the Ord. gaining ¼ at 1⅞, and the Defd. 1s. 6d. at 22s. 9d. The Textile leaders hardened in places, Calico Printers putting on 1s. 6d. to 29s., with Sewing Cottons closing buyers at 51s. 3d., and "Slubbers" at 8s. A firmer tendency developed among Coal, Steel and Engineering descriptions. Benzol Ivers were marked up 2s. 6d. to 27s. 9d., and Chineso Engineering advanced ½ to 3⅛. Babcock rose 1s. to 59s. 3d., Lamberts 9d. to 52s., and Baldwins a like amount to 6s. 7½d. Armstrongs stiffened to 4s., Cammell Lairds to 8s., Consetts to 11s. 9d., Wm. Coryx to 58s., and Thorneycrofts to 28s. On the other hand, South Durhams were easier at 43s. 9d., and Powell Duffryns at 22s.

In Electrical Equipments, Callenders closed 2s. 3d. to the good at 75s. 9d. The Supply Shares were quietly maintained. Shipping issues were inclined to harden, Court Lines moving up 1s. to 30s. Miscellaneous Shares kept firm, but Banks developed irregularity. Breweries attracted attention. Hoars strengthened to 3⅞, with Allsopps Pref. marked a point higher at 112½. Guinness enjoyed a further rally to 455, with Bieckerts marked up 3 to 237½, and Watney Def. 7 to 264½. Tobaccos remained uncertain. Carreras hardened to 17½, and United Souths to 4⅛, but Copes receded to 2⅜, and both "Bats" and "Imps" were unchanged. Stores, Catering and Food Supply Shares generally maintained a firm front, with Harrods inquired for at 60s. 6d.

Tractions proved harder in places, Brazilian Common at 212 and Barcelona at 67. Motor shares met with renewed inquiry, Dennis at 84, Napiers 64s. 9d., Rolls-Royce 35s., and Guys 28s. 6d. Sudans were one of the most active centres in the Land group, with an advance to 4⅛. Nitrates were easier for choice, Lautaros at 4⅞ and New Tamarugals at 29s. Telegraphs and Telephones kept firm, with Marconis again in active demand among Wireless issues, further advancing to the extent of 1s. 6d. at 26s. 9d. Cements found favour. Newspapers were undecided.

Gramophones were the centre of interest on the increased dividend. They changed hands up to 6⅞, and eventually finished ⅞ higher at 6⅜. Graphophones opened easier at 124s., but later recovered to 126s. The remarks for Dunlops continued, and, after being dealt in up to 37s., they finished at 36s. 7½d. Swedish Match "B" finished at 20½, after touching 20⅝. Imperial Chemical Ord. dipped at one time to 31s. 9d., and closed at 32s. 4½d.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON:—Alliance, 118½; Atlas (x.d.), 235½; Commercial Union (x.d.), 76 1-4; ditto New, 26⅝; General Accident, 81½; Guardian, 94, 93½; London Assurance (x.d.), 31s. 6d., 31s. 6d. 3rd. Deb., 96½; Motor Union, 84; North British, 20, 19, 84; Northern, 153s., 2½, £15 6½; Phœnix, 121s., 13; Prudential "A," 23¼, 23, 23; Royal Exchange, 73½, 15-16, ¼; Royal Insurance, 37; Scottish Union, 151s., 2, 1-4, 1-4; Sun Insurance, 66/9¾; World Auxiliary, 22/6, 9d., 3/-; Yorkshire (x.d.), 113s., 1½, ½.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Commercial Union (x.d.), £26 4/3, 7/6, 6/9; do. 4 p.c. Pfd., 96; Employers' Liability, 75/-; Guardian, 9¾, Phœnix, 123½; Royal Insurance, 37⅛; Scottish Union, 141s.; do. "B" Shares, 51.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Business on better scale, and Leyland Motors 19/3. Dennis and Tilling Stevens both lower. Austins, 21/-; ditto Preferred, 13/-; Hiornels, 55/3; Components, 6/3; B.T.D., 8/3; Enfields, 28/6; Guys, 27/4½; Humbers, 30/6; Lorries, 95/3; Deasds, 21/-; Napiers, 64/9; Rolls, 35/6; Rovers, 10/6; Singers, 58/9; Standards, 24/-; Triumphs, 26/6; Dunlops, 36/7½; Parent Deferred, 33/6.

MANCHESTER.—Active business in Textiles. Spinners and Calicos strong. Bleachers, 38/6-39/6; Calicos, 28s./28/6; Dyers, 46/-47/-; Cottons, 50/6-51/-; Sninners, 50/-50/6; "Slubbers," 7/9-8/-; Coats, 61/6-62/6; Velvets 22/3-22/9; Courtaulds, 77s./7½; South Canal, 16/6; Dunlops, 36/6-36/9; Amalgamated Cottons, 5/9-6/3; Hoyles, 24/9-25/-; Nuera Silk, 26/6; ditto Def., 21/6.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

—	Closing.	Rise or fall.
Consols	55⅛ 55⅛	
Do. 4%	86¼ 85⅝	
War Loan 3½%	84¾ 84⅝	
Do. 4%	97 98	
Do. 5%	102⅝ 102⅞	
Do. 4% (Tax Free)	100 100½	
Funding Loan	85½ 86⅜	
Victory Bonds	94¼ 95	
2½% Conversion Loan	57⅝ 57⅞	
4½% Conversion Loan	97⅝ 98¼	
5½% Treasury Bonds	100⅝ 101¼	
Irish Land 3¼%	57½ 58¼	
India 3%	61 62	
Do. 3½%	70½ 71½	
Do. 5½%	102½ 103½	
Do. 2½%	101 103	
Local Loans	63 63½	
Sudan 5½%	100 103	

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Australian Com. 5%	99 101	
Do. do. 6%	101 103	
British Col. 4½, 1941	93 95	
Canada 4%, 1940-60	89 91	
Cape 3½ Cons.	80 82	
Ceylon 5%	100 102	
New South Wales 4½, '22-'52	99½ 100½	
Do. do. 5½, 1927-7.	99 100	
Do. do. 6½ %, 1930-40	102 104	
New Zealand 4%, '29	97 98	
Nigeria 6%	113 115	
Queensland 4%, '50-80	82 84	
Do. 6%, 30-40	101 103	
South Africa 4% Cons.	82 84	
Do. 6%	100 102	
South Australian 4%, '40-60	82 84	
Do. 6½%	102 104	
Victoria 4%, '40-60	81 83	
Do. 6½ %, 1923-53	100 102	
Western Australia 5%, '35-48	98 100	
Do. do. 6%, 1930-40	101 103	

BANKS.

Anglo-South American	71½	70	-1s
Bank of Australasia	14½	14⅜	
Bank of England	264	258	
Bank of Montreal	69	71	
Bank of New South Wales	43	44	
Do. New Zealand	23s	21s	
Barclay's "A" Shares	73½	68½	
British Overseas	5½	5⅝	+1-16
Canadian of Commerce	68	68	
Chartered of India	29½	29	
Hong Kong and Shanghai	119	122	-1
Lloyds	64⅜	65⅜	
Midland	91¼	93	
National Discount "B"	9	9½	
National Provincial (£4 pd.)	13⅞	13⅝	
Canada	64½	66½	
Standard of South Africa	14¾	15¼	
Union of Canada	14½	15	
Westminster Bank	19¼	19½	

FOREIGN BONDS.

101½	Argentine 5 p.c., 1886	100	102
83¼	Do. 4 p.c. Funsions	82	84
101	Do. 5 p.c. 1909	100	102
108	Belgian 7 p.c. Loan	107	109
88	Brazil 4 p.c., 1889	87	89
83	Do. Funding, 1908	81	83
83	Do. 5 p.c. do. 1914	82	84
36½	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	35	37
82	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	80	82
36	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	35	37
106	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	105	107
84¼	Egyptian Unified	83¾	84¾
104	French Loan	103	104
12	Do. 4 p.c.	12	13
104¾	German 7 p.c.	104	106
97	Greek Loan	97	98
19	Italian Rentes	18	20
94	Japan 4 p.c., 1905	93	95
96¾	Do. 5 p.c., 1924	95½	97
36	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	35	38
11	Do. 6 p.c. 1910 Treas	10	12
15	Peruvian Corporation	15¼	15⅝
53½	Do. Pref.	53½	54½
100½	Do. 1927	100	102
37¼	Portuguese 3 p.c.	36	36
73	Spanish 4 p.c.	73	77
23½	Turkish Unified	23½	24½
69	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	69	70

BRITISH RAILS.

90¾	Great Western	91½	92½
—	Do. Cons. Pref.	94	95
69¾	Lon., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	71	72
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	73½	73½
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	84	85
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref. 1923	70¾	71½
39¼	Lon. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	40½	41½
16	Do. Def. Ord.	16½	17
7	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	6½	6⅞
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	60	62
55½	Metropolitan	58	59
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	88	90
—	Do. District	61½	62½
89¾	Southern Pref. Ord.	72	73
37½	Do. Def. Ord.	37⅞	38½
18¾	Underground Elec. (£1)	18⅞	19⅜
103½	Do. Income Bonds	103¼	104¼

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

83½	Antofagasta	80	82
—	Argentine W. Ord.	80	82
—	Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn.	97	98
—	Brazil Railway Common	21	22
111¼	Buenos Ayres Pacific	110	111
—	Buenos Ayres and W.	93	96
7½	Central Argentine	7⅜	7½
—	Do. New Zealand	28	28
7½	Barclay's "A" Shares	73½	68½
5⅞	British Columbia Ord.	5⅝	5¾
93½	Canadian Pacific	93	93½
91	Central Argentine	90	91
91	Central Uruguay	85½	91½
36	Cordoba Central	35	37
36	Do. 1st Pref.	35	37
56	Do. 2nd Pref.	54½	56½
72½	Entre Rios	73	75
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	24	26
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	81	83
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	54	56
23	Leopoldina	22	23
6¾	Mexican Rails	6	7
—	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	16	18
—	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	9	11
178	San Paulo Ord.	176	181
72	United Havana	73	75

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	193	195
—	Baltimore	124½	125
—	Canadian	211	213
—	Chicago Milwaukee	17	19
66½	Erie	66	68
—	Do. 1st Pref.	82	84
—	New York Ontario	41	43
138	Southern Common	137	139
—	Do. Pref.	100	103
—	Southern Pacific	106	107
—	Southern Pacific	195	197

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

23/6	Allsopp £1 Shares	11s	11s
65/6	Bass, Ratcliff Ord.	31s	34s
65/6	City of London Ord.	4s	4s
30/6	Distillers Ord.	27s	3
425	Guinness Ord.	445	450
70/6	Hoare and Co.	39s	37½
60/6	Ind Coope Ord.	30s	32
97/6	Peter Walker Ord.	70s	71
87/6	South African Breweries	29½	21½
21/6	Walker (John) Pref.	22s	23
290	Do. Consolidated	282	287

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

—	Bournemouth and Poole	22½	23½
25/9	Charing Cross	25/3	26/3
—	Chelsea Ord.	23/6	24/6
28/9	City of London	28/3	29/3
28/10½	County of London	28/3	27/6
—	Commercial	26/6	28/6
24/7½	London Electric	24/0	25/0
29/3	Metropolitan	29/3	30/3
21/3	Newcastle	11½	15½
25/6	St. James's	25/6	26/6
—	South London	23/6	25/6
—	Westminster	27/0	28/0
—	Whitehall Electric Pref.	20/7½	21/1½

FOODSTUFFS AND STORES.

30/6	Aerated Bread	30/3	31/3
42/0	Revril Def.	21s	2/21s
8/11½	Crosse and Blackwell	4/9	5/0
16/0	Lipton	16/0	17/0
11½	Lovell and Christmas	11s	17s
4½	Lyons	4½	4½
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	24/0	25/0
5/9	Maypole Def.	5/4½	5/10½
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	20s	21s
2½	Spratt's Patent	2½	2⅝
—	Union Cold Storage Pref	18/9	19/9
2/11½	Van Bergha	2/10	2/11
—	Do. Pref.	4/6	5/0

IRON AND STEEL.

3/7½	Armstrong (W. G.)	3/9	4/3
7/9	Cammell Laird	8/3	8/0
10/9	Cargo Fleet	10/3	11/3
8/9	Dorman Long	9/9	10/3
12/6	Hoare and Co.	12/6	13/6
8/0	Pease and Partners	8/0	8/6
48/0	South Durham Steel	42/9	44/9
34/0	Siemens	33/0	34/0
4/0	United Steel	4/0½	4/10½
11/9	Workers Ord.	11/9	12/3

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

—	Abookir Land	2½	1s2
—	Argentine Land T. Cert.	17s	2s
27/0	Do. Southern Land	19½	17½
8/0	B.S.A. Land	8/0	8/0
28/3	Forestal Land	28/4½	28/7½
4/4	Hong Kong Ord.	4¼	4⅜
4/6	Pekin Syndicate	4/0	5/0
28/0	Rio Negro Lands	1¼	1s2
4/8	Sudan Plantations	4½	4¼

NEWSPAPERS.

73½	Assd. Newspapers Def.	72s	2s
73/6	Allied News Ord.	72/6	73/6
—	Amal. Press (New)	26/9	27/0
93/0	Daily Mail Trust	92/9	93/9
21½	Daily Mirror Ord.	21½	21⅝
—	Illustrated Newspapers	27/0	28/0
4/1½	Sunday Pictorial Ord.	4/1½	4/1½

OILS.

10	Alianza	9½	10½
15/9	Lagunas Nitrate	15/9	16/0
41½	Lautaro Nitrate	41½	42½
24/0	Liverpool Nitrate	23/0	25/0
27/6	New Tamarugal	28/6	29/6
14/0	Rosario Nitrate	13/6	14/6
22/0	Santiago Nitrate	1½	1s5
10/6	Tarapaca Nitrate	9/6	10/6

OILS.

3/7½	Anglo-American	3/7½	3/9½
1s1	Anglo-Ecuadorian	11½	1s2
2½	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1½	1s2
3/0½	Anglo-Iranian Ord.	3/7	3/8
20.3	Do. 8 p.c. 1st Pref.	20/0	20/6
27/3	Do. 8 p.c. 2nd Pref.	27/3	28/3
5/9	Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	5/9	5/9
2½	Apex Trinidad (5/- shares)	2½	2½
19/6	Attock	19/6	1/19
13/6	British Borneo Pet. (10/-)	13/3	+0/3
8/0	British Burmah (8/-)	8/0	8/6
8/0	British Controlled	7/9	8/0
7/3	Do. Pref.	7½	7/4½
4/3	Burmah	4⅛	4⅜
26/9	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	26/6	27/0
2/6	Caltex	2/4½	2/7½
2½	Cayzer Synd	2½	2½
—	Eagle Transport Pref.	3½	6
12/3	Kern River (10/-)	11/9	12/0
4½	Lobitos (no par value)	4⅜	4⅜
3⅝	Lobitos	3⅞	3½
16-10½	Mexican Eagle	16-10½	17-4½
16-10½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	16-10½	17-4½
18/9	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref.	18/6	19/0
3/0	North Caucasian (10/-)	2/3	2/6
4½	Nobel	4 10½	3/4½
—	Pan-American "B"	6/0	6/3
18/9	Phœnix Oil	18/9	19/3
11/9	Do. 7% shares	10/4½	10-10½
2½	Royal Dutch	2½	2½
4½	Shell Transport	4⅜	4⅝
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10)	9¼	9¼
24/6	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	24 4½	24 10½
9/11	Spies (5/-)	9/3	9/6
11/10½	Steaua Romana	11⅜	12/0
8/0	Tankers Pref.	8/0	8/0
5/0	Trinidad Central	5/0	5/0
2½	Trinidad Leaseholds	2½	2½
10/3	United Brit. Trinidad	10/4½	10/7½
2/3	Ural Caspian	2/0	2/3
2½	V.O.C. Holdings	2½	2½
2½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	2½	2½

RUBBERS.

M.U.—October 10.

2/3	Amal. Rubber Est.	2/9	
44/9	Anglo-Dutch	44 10½	
1/9	Anglo-Java	1/9	
2/0	Anglo-Malay	2s 10½	
4/9	Bariam Cons.	4/9	
4 4½	Bukit Mertajam	4/3	
2 7½	Bukit Sembawang	2 7½	
1½	Bukit Unas	22/6	
2½	Damansara	2 3	
2/3	Grand Central	2/3	-0/9
2½	Highlands	4/9	
2½	Java Para	4/3	
22/3	Jugra Land	22/6	
3/10½	Kamuning	3 10½	
2½	Kapar Para	4/3	
2/0	Kenong	2/9	
3¼	Kuala Lumpur	7/6	
39/9	Kuala Muda	39/9	+1/3
7	Labu	8/9	
4 10½	Laras	4 11¼	
2½	Lingei	4/3	
4/9	London Asiatic	5/9	
2½	Malacca	50/9	
39/9	Malaynam	39/9	
4 4½	Merlimau	4 4½	
1½	Moody Valley	27/6	
2/9	Rubber Estate of Kriam	2 11½	+0 1½
36/9	Rubber Trust	39/3	
1¼	Sabah (New)	1/2/6	
1¼	Sendayan	33/9	
2½	Sialang	45/9	
1½	Straits Rubber	21/3	+0 7½
5/3	Sumatra Para	5/3	-0/3
1/9	Tali Ayer	28 1½	
2½	Tandjong	46 3½	
2½	Tandjong Malim	40 7½	
5/9	Tanjong Pandong	5/9	-0 1½
4½	United Sua Belong	83 1½	-0 7½
18/0	Vallambrosa	18/1½	

Abaco	50/0	Ledbury	50/0
Allagar	2 9½	Lendu	18/9
Allied Sum	20/0	Loongoer	19/0
Amrat	8/9	Maudi'r N.B.	29 1½
Anglo-Sum	2½	Membakut	16 10½
Asahan	10/3	Mendaris	17/6
Bah Lias	44 4½	N. Hayoop	1/6
Baru (Java)	37/6	N. Rumamoh	28/0
Batang	2 4½	Pahi P'a (1/8)	2/6
Bain Tiga	46/3	P.P.K. (G'p'n)	23/9
Bernam Pr'f.	32/0	Pataling	28/3
B.N.B.R. Pref.	73	Pegoh	49/0
Do. Def.	15s	Pilmoor	42/6
Broome Sel	21/3	Port Dickson	3 10½
Bukit Hoh	6 4½	Batanut	28/9
Bukit Kaj'ng	38/9	Rim Malacca	4/0
Bukit Rajah	32/6	Rub. E. Joh'e	20 7½
Castlefield	7/3	Sapong	58/9
Cent. Johore	1/0	Sapumalk'da	31 10½
Ceylon Trinity	2/6	Selemak	32/6
Chersonese	3 1½	Selangor	5/0
Clavioh	4 2½	Sembilan	2/0
Cicely	6 7½	Sepang Sel	20/9
Craigiehall	1/9	Seramban	16 7½
Dannisbown	1 10½	Serdang Cti.	24/0
East Asiatic	3/3	Singap'a Para	1 9½
Eastern Sum	2 2½	Soember Ajoe	2/3
Eastern Trst.	39 4½	Strathmore	21/6
F.M.S. Plant.	52/6	Sumatra Con.	32/0
Gadjah	6/0	Sungei (Dut.)	44/9
Gen. Caylon	43/6	Sungei K'par	5/9
Glenbervie	42/6	Sungei Kr. Pl.	38/9
Glenshiel	19 4½	Sungei Rayau	3/0
Golconda

NEY MARKET.

CONDITIONS.

re decidedly easier in Lom-rday owing to the release ers on Wednesday, and, after t, in the market, ... ay' loans btainable at 3½ per cent, se. Old day-to-day money 3½ to 3¾ per cent., and vent on at 3½ per cent.

Rate changed April 21 1927).

4¼	4½%	
4½%	Trade.....	4½ 4¾%
4¾%	"	4¾ 5 %
4¾%	"	5 5½%
to-day.....		3½ 3¾%
Week.....		3¾%
anks at Call.....		2¾%
Discount Houses at Call.....		2½%
at Notice		2¾%

market remains idle, apart urchases of mid-December me of the banks at 4¼ per e months' commercial bills at 4½ per cent., but the were not so firm at 4⅜.

England announced the sale ed at £17,000, and the ex-vereigns to Germany. Gold 11¼d. per fine oz. The ver fell 9/16d. to 25½d., but hanged at 25¾d. per oz. The ught and sold.

provement in the American the quotation to 4.87⅛, and to 4.86⅞. South American ntis changed. An important e European list was the de-panish pesetas, the rate for ply to fully 28.30. Another very ...arp rise in Dutch tation falling 1¼ to 12.12½. were a little better, but gian kroner, and Turkish cheaper. Apart from a re-yen to 1s. 10½d., Eastern were unaltered.

13	Oct. 12	
Closing Rates	Closing Rates	Par Rate
12.12⅝	12.13¼	12.14 12.10
47⅝	47⅝	47⅝ 47⅝
28.01	27.95	27.97 25.22½
20.42	20.41½	20.42 20.43
34.98	34.96	34.97 35.00
13 63.84	1 5 61.64	175 63.84 2 0
18.17¼	18.16⅜	18.17¼ 18.159
25.26	25.25¼	25.25¼ 25.22½
268	265	267 25.22½
193⅛	193⅛	193⅛ 193.23
89.15	89.10	89 15 25.22½
1 11	1 10 61.64	1 11 1 4 24.58¼
4.86⅛	4.86¼	4.86⅝ 4.861
50⅜	49⅞	50⅜ 51⅛
4.87⅜	4.87⅛	4.87⅛ 4.861
18.51	18.46	18.48 18.159
124⅛	122.95	124.05 25.22½
164⅛	164¼	164½ 24.02
58⅜	5 57 64	58⅜ 27d.
2 61½	2 6	2 61½ –
2.38⅞	2.38⅝	2.38½ 2/4
18.09¼	18.08½	18.09 18.16
34.53	34.50	34.53 34.58½
44	43	44 25.22½

S AND REPORTS.

A OF CEYLON.—Interim dividend less tax. (Same.)
CAN DEBENTURE CORPORA-vidend of 5 per cent. actual, less of the year ending 31st March.

MERCANTILE LAND AND inal dividend of 5 per cent., to-gus of 2½ per cent., both free of al of 15 per cent., free of tax, ed 30th June, 1927. (Same.)
AN OIL CO.—After allocating a o to the several reserve funds, extra depreciation, a final dividend less tax, making 12½ per cent. on for the year; carrying forward, profits duty, a sum of £2,246,879. allocations to the reserve funds 00; but nothing was placed to the dividend was 17½ per cent., ere bonus distribution of one new two held was made. The carry-31st, 1926 was £1,955,450.
RACTION, LIGHT AND POWER end of 1¼ per cent. on issued

D.—Final dividend of 7½ per cent., Ord. shares, making 15 per cent. Dividend same.)
CO.—Interim dividend of 10 per at the same rate as the distribu-corresponding period of last year.
SELANGOR RUBBER.—Final per cent., less tax, making 25 per Last year the dividend was 40 per

N CO.—Dividend for the year to on the 7½ per cent. Cum. Pref. dend for the half-year ended ter, thus clearing off all arrears.
AND FOREIGN INVESTMENT interim dividend of 2½ per cent. hares, old issue, in respect of year 28.
ATED COFFEE ESTATES.—Divi-vent, less tax, and £8,075 for-ter, 10 per cent., with £7,941

INVESTMENT.—Dividend at ent. per annum on Ord. Stock for tember 30, making 13 per cent. Last year, total 12 per cent. rofit, £55,982; available, £92,540; cent., tax free (unchanged); to £35,000 forward, £56,030.
ANK.—Interim dividend of 6 per ax, for the half-year to 30th Sep-

EAN TELEGRAPH CO.—Interim year ending 30th June, 1927, at per annum, free of tax. (Same.)
AND GENERAL TRUST.—In-for half-year to 30th September. um. Pref. stock at rate of 4½ per less tax, and on the Ord. stock per cent. per annum, less tax.

HEMICAL INDUSTRIES.—Interim for the year ending 31st Decem-ate of 5 per cent. actual, less tax

EYLON TEA.—Interim dividend of ess tax. Last year interim was

KELLAR.—Dividend of 4 per cent., ell.—Interim dividend declared of ent. per share, less tax, on Ord. Deferred dividend at rate of 5½ per e, tax free.
SPINNING.—Interim dividend of ess tax.
AY STATES RUBBER.—Final divi-r cent. on shares numbered 1 to ix, making a total of 14 per cent. at year the dividend was 20 per

IN.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent. RUBBER.—Interim dividend of 2½ (Last year interim was 5 per

RUST.—Interim dividend of 5 per ss tax, in respect of the year 1927. ent. to 1/- per share. For 1926 a was made, the final being 11 per

UCK AND SONS.—Final dividend per annum for the six months pril, 1927, making 8 per cent. for ne.
MAY RUBBER.—Interim dividend equal to 1/- per share, for year ess tax. (Last year 10 per.).
MORTGAGE AND TRUST CO.—of 5 per cent. actual, less tax. Dividend of 3 per cent. actual last

ERICAN TRUST.—A dividend on per cent. less tax; carry forward.

UTAH RUBBER.—Final dividend of tax, making 16 per cent., less tax, gainst 22½ per cent. in respect of

ARA PLANTATION.—Dividend of 5 ax, for year. For period April 1st, 0th, 1926, the dividend was 3 per

AND SMALLEY (TEXTILE —Interim dividend of 7½ per cent.

H LINEN TRADE.

REASED ORDERS.

sh Linen Market report for fort-12th October states:—
—The markets are late in open-owing to unfavourable harvest e or two markets have been all offerings. Demand has been classes, and prices very firm. re is no quotable change to re-the past fortnight. So far as concerned, spinners are in a position as regards quantity, but rent matter looked at from the holders' demands, which are on a par with yarn prices. Buy-been on so large a scale as previous weeks. Spinners with itments are not pressing. Prices firm, with a hardening tendency. a further reduction. Foreign negligible.
There is no special feature to the weaving end of the trade. rs are trying to meet the wishes chant friends in every possible e increasing prices of yarns are inst them that it is difficult to ions. Orders have been placed ferent ranges at prices which cost. Inquiries are still about oods, but the price question is overcome.
While orders received during tnight are still of a sorting up have been more numerous, and gregate represent an increased quiries cover practically the en-white linens, sheetings, house-ns, and damasks. Several large railway and steamship damasks placed. Buyers in the clothing overed their wants for some time Prices are very firm, and another st has been issued by the Cambric s Linens.—The amount of new ning forward is considered satis-view of the difficult price situa-fair orders have been arranged d goods during the past fortnight.

MAN SHOT DEAD AT KINGSTOWN.

SON CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Yesterday a young man named Charles Davis, aged 20, was arrested and charged with having murdered his father, Charles Davis (50), by shooting him with a revolver at their home at Mount-town, Kingstown, yesterday.

According to statements made to the police, there had been a violent scene between Charles Davis, senior, and his wife, when the son, saying that he was "tired of it all," drew a revolver and shot his father.

The wounded man rushed from the room into the street. The son, it is said, followed and shot him a second time. Davis, senior, collapsed on the pavement, and was dead when taken to Monkstown Hospital.

Civic Guard Shortall, of Kill-o'-the-Grange, who came up on a bicycle shortly after the shooting, saw the man lying on the ground, surrounded by seven or eight men and women, and jumped off the machine. He was told that the man on the ground had been shot.

"Who shot him?" asked the Guard.

"I did," said a young man, holding out a revolver.

Guard Shortall seized the weapon and placed the man under arrest.

Charles Davis, senior, lived at The Cottages, Mount-town, Kingstown. He was about 60 years of age and the father of nine children. He lived with his wife and some of the unmarried children. He was a chimney sweep, but had been in the British Army, was wounded in the Great War, and enjoyed a substantial disability pension.

It is stated that he frequently quarrelled with his wife. Charles Davis, the son, was employed as a messenger by a Kingstown poultry butcher.

Young Davis when arrested went quietly to the station, and seemed somewhat dazed When cautioned and told that he would be detained, he replied, "I take full responsibility for it." In the revolver Guard Shortall found two discharged cartridges and one live cartridge. The weapon is a .32 American pattern revolver.

Last night Charles Davis, junior, was charged with the murder of his father.

THE INQUEST.

The inquest will be held at Monkstown Hospital this afternoon at 4.15 o'clock.

Young Davis will be charged at the Dublin District Court at 10.30 this morning.

TO REVIVE TRADE IN CORK.

PROPOSED INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

(From Our Special Correspondent.)
CORK, Thursday.

In March of the present year the Cork Harbour Commissioners passed a resolution unanimously advocating the holding of an International Exhibition here in 1929. Since the time various occurrences have intervened to prevent any real advance been made in connection with the project; but from inquiries made to-day among the business community, I found that the scheme has only been temporarily in abeyance, and has not been lost sight of by those from whom the suggestion emanated.

There is little doubt that an International Exhibition on proper lines would receive the whole-hearted support of the business men of the city. They are still suffering to a large extent from the trade depression in Cork, which followed upon the destruction of Mallow Railway Bridge, when the distribution of goods by rail from here was suspended for fourteen months. The exhibition, it is believed, would give a much needed impetus to the trade of the city, and would go a long way towards reducing unemployment, which is so prevalent.

SUPPORT PROMISED.

Sir John Scott, who, with the Lord Mayor, Mr. Sean French, T.D., is very largely interested in the proposal, states that the scheme would receive the financial support, not only of local firms, but of many cross-Channel houses, who have large trade interests in this country. Promises of such support, I am informed, have already been received, but their source is not, as yet, available for publication. So far as I can gather, some step towards the carrying out of the plan may be expected shortly after the return of the Lord Mayor from Dublin, where he has been in attendance at the opening of the Dail.

RATES BEHIND.

COUNTY CORK COLLECTOR SUSPENDED.

From Our Own Correspondent.
CORK, Thursday.

At a meeting of the Cork County Council to-day Jerome Cahill, the rate collector for Bandon No. 1 District, was suspended, this step being a sequel to the difficulties which the Council has experienced in collecting the rates due throughout the entire county.

The Chairman (Mr. T. J. Broderick) said that no effort had been made to carry out the collection of the rates, and the arrears amounted to £1,800 on the warrant. The Council should, of course, make liberal allowance for irrecoverable rates.

Mr. Barrett said that in cases of other collectors a lot of arrears had been carried over, and it should not be put forward in Cahill's case that there was £1,800 arrears. Other collectors were in just as bad a position as he. He urged that the collector should be given a little more time to close the warrant.

The Chairman said that they adjourned the case again and again to save the Council from doing what they were reluctantly compelled to do that day, and even now, at the eleventh hour, if there was any hope of the Council being safeguarded he would be prepared to consider a suggestion.

Mr Cahill, the collector, who was present in the Council Chamber, was called before the meeting, and asked what explanation he had to give. His reply was that he wished to resign on account of his health.

The Secretary—Are you prepared to clear up the collection before resigning?

The collector made no reply.

Asked by Mr. T. J. Murphy if he could give the Council information as to the condition of the collection, the collector replied that he knew nothing about it.

After some further discussion, it was eventually decided, on the motion of Mr. M. J. Corry, T.D., seconded by Mr. E. O'Neill, to suspend the official, and the Secretary was instructed to send a messenger of his own staff into the district to collect what rates remained to be collected, and to report on the condition of the collection.

DUBLIN PORT BOARD CO-OPTION

At a meeting of the Dublin Port and Docks Board yesterday Mr. William Field moved that Mr. J. P. MacAvin, ex-Sheriff, should be co-opted a member of the Board, in the place of the late Mr. M. J. Moran. Mr. Field said that Mr. MacAvin's knowledge of affairs of the city and other qualifications would make him a valuable member of the Board.

Mr. MacAvin was unanimously co-opted.

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IN THE NORTHERN CAPITAL.

From a Special Correspondent.

BELFAST, Thursday Night.

THE people of Northern Ireland took a deep interest in the proceedings of Dail Eireann on Tuesday, and the election of Mr. Cosgrave as President has given general satisfaction. In the highest official circles here sympathy is expressed with Mr. Cosgrave in his difficult position, and admiration for his courage, constancy and breadth of vision is universal. While strong in their determination to remain a separate State, the Northerners wish every success to their Southern neighbours and hope that the Free State will emerge with credit from all its political troubles. Apart from constitutional questions, co-operation is desired in the promotion of industry, commerce and trade, and the further development of business relations should foster the spirit of good-will which is the foundation of trust and confidence. Similar problems affecting economic conditions and social service are engaging the attention of both States, and emulation in good government is certain to produce excellent results. Notwithstanding the gloomy prognostications of pessimists on each side of the border, the signs are hopeful for the growth of prosperity, progress and peace.

A ROCK OF SILENCE.

The autumn session of the Northern Parliament was opened on Tuesday, the proceedings being short, tame and rather uninteresting. It was expected that the Prime Minister would have made a statement on the general situation, but he sat like a rock of silence, imperturbable, sphinx-like, and with only a smile for Mr. Devlin when the Nationalist leader made a delicate allusion to local option. The old story of legislation to keep in line with Great Britain is still being told, and the local House of Commons virtually reflects what has already been done across the water. There is one British measure, however, which the Belfast Assembly is not likely to imitate, and that is the "Flappers" Act, as it is feared here that such legislation might be injurious to the Unionist cause; and the matter is, therefore, to be considered by the party advisers before any decision is made. In this case the mirror is distorted.

The constitution of the House is still the same, as none of the abstentionist Sinn Fein and Republican members put in an appearance. For some time past an agitation has been going on in Nationalist circles to persuade the truants to perform their duty, and a conference was held recently in that connection, but the decision was not divulged. One of them has, however, promised that he will be present, if necessary, to defend the interests of the Lough Neagh fishermen when their thorny problem is brought before the House; but as a departmental committee has been appointed to inquire into the whole question, nothing more than a passing reference will be permitted in the Commons, probably in the form of a question, until its report has been issued. The Hibernian Order, of which Mr. Devlin is the chief, favours the putting of an end to abstention, but there are still a great many irreconcilables in the North, particularly in Tyrone, who cling to impracticable ideals and cherish hopes impossible of realisation under present conditions.

CONTROVERSIAL MEASURES.

Two measures of a highly controversial nature are to be introduced during the present session, and lively times are anticipated. The amending Liquor Bill is only intended to remedy minor defects discovered through the working of the Act, as promised by the Prime Minister, and no far-reaching alterations will be permitted. The temperance party claim that a majority of the members are already pledged to local option, and their attitude should be interesting, but it is not anticipated that they will oppose the Government. On the other hand, a strong appeal will be made for the repeal of the *bona fide* traveller restrictions, which are held by many to be injurious to tourist traffic, numerous complaints in that regard having been received from visitors. In the present temper of all parties, however, the amendments adopted will be of a harmless nature.

Bitter opposition will be offered to the Trades Disputes Bill, which was read a first time yesterday. No matter how beneficial its provisions may be or how desirable it might be in Great Britain, it is felt, even by a multitude of Government supporters, that it is unnecessary in Northern Ireland, where the most cordial relations exist between Capital and Labour. It is resented as class legislation, and is certain to create widespread discontent and ill-feeling. It is possible to imitate British legislation too slavishly, and it would be better if the Government put forward remedial measures for the glaring social evils patent on every side, instead of entering into a political adventure for which it has received no mandate from the electorate. The Government majority will, however, carry the day, in accordance with the Junior Whip's instructions, given some time ago, that all members must vote officially, no matter what their personal convictions may be. As one member said on that historic occasion, their consciences had to be elastic.

THE WRONG ATMOSPHERE.

It is to be regretted that the members of the Belfast Corporation do not yet appear to realise the gravity of their position as an administrative body. Reform in method is urgently required, but the atmosphere of the Council Chamber, when meetings are in progress, does not lend itself to wisdom in debate. Mutual recriminations only too frequently take the place of sensible discussion, the object apparently being to hurt one another's feelings as much as possible. There are several cliques in the Council, all distrustful of one another, and, so long as that kind of thing is permitted to continue, there can be no hope for the better administration of the city. The report of the McClure Committee is praised by some and condemned by others, and showers of abuse are poured over the heads of its authors for doing what they considered to be their duty. Amidst all the bickerings and quarrellings there are but few gleams of promise for brighter days. The Lord Mayor and others were accused, at the last meeting, of holding secret conclaves, the suggestion being that something was being done that could not bear the light of day, and threats were made to convene public meetings throughout the city to condemn his policy; but his worship was not to be intimidated, and, thumping the table, declared that he was not afraid to go out and meet any body of citizens. Sir William Turner has plenty of courage, and has expressed his determination to conduct the business of the Council in a fault of their own, notwithstanding the improving conditions of industry, and in the poorer parts of the city poverty is still abnormal. The Belfast Guardians are a very sympathetic body, and none more so than Mr. Wilson, watchful of the interests of deserving cases; and, no doubt, the action of the Board is intended to wipe out the unworthy recipients of relief, while the others will be considered on their merits.

The matter was mentioned in the House of Commons yesterday, and it was pointed out that great distress and starvation would result if the Guardians persisted in their proposal. The Prime Minister thought that the situation was satisfactory in view of the reduction of the official unemployment figures, but they do not represent the true position, as there are many thousands of workless men whose names have been removed from the live register for various reasons, and who are receiving no relief of any kind. The official figures are, therefore, useless as a criterion of the real state of affairs.

PEERESS AND LOCAL OPTION.

The Northern Government is happy in having numerous women's organisations to support it in its programme. They are becoming a power in the political world, and their good-will is sedulously cultivated by the Unionist leaders. Their meetings are attended by Cabinet Ministers, and the ladies are flattered by all the attention that is paid to them, especially when matters of high importance are dividing the people. One of the greatest assets of the official party is Viscountess Craigavon. She addressed a meeting of women at Larne on Tuesday night, and in the course of her remarks she warned them of the peril of the local option campaign. She appealed to them not to be divided on this question, and said that everyone wanted to see a sober nation, but the best way to obtain that was by personal example and quiet work. "Over-compulsion of a free people on any subject puts their backs up and often does more harm than good, leading to all sorts of underhand methods to flout authority," declared Lady Craigavon, who then referred to the dangers of a split in the Unionist vote.

There is no village in England so little musical that it cannot form a choral society. —Sir Harry Verney.

CATHOLIC TRUTH CONFERENCE.

RECEPTION IN THE MANSION HOUSE.

ARCHBISHOP OF CASHEL'S ADDRESS.

The Most Rev. Dr. Mulhearn, Bishop of Dromore, presided at yesterday afternoon's session of the Catholic Truth Society's Conference in the Dublin Mansion House, when the Rev. Father Clune read a paper on "The Church Indispensable."

At the reception which was held in the evening in the Round Room of the Mansion House there was a large gathering.

The Most Rev. Dr. Harty, Archbishop of Cashel, commented on the fact that every phase and class of Roman Catholic life in the country, and every political party were represented at their gatherings.

Many of the ladies present at the reception wore the mantilla and black dress

"THE CHURCH INDISPENSABLE."

The Rev. G. Clune, of Ennis, in a paper on "The Church Indispensable," stated that the Church of Christ was a fact which man may not ignore. Even if the grave were the end of human existence, it would still be true that a full and whole-hearted acceptance of her teaching would be the surest, and indeed the only way to happiness; and that, therefore, men should join her. But the grave was not the end: it was the passing over to eternity: it was the beginning, and the endless life that lies beyond was of infinite importance. That life was prepared for and determined by these few passing years, and surely, if the Church prepared and sanctified them for an existence that had no ending, reason dictated that they should avail of all the helps that she could give.

Was it probable that a Church, born in such pain and sacrifice, might be accepted or rejected just as feelings of men might prompt? The mind of the apostles was clear. The man who left the Church to preach another gospel was anathema; he was given over to Satan; he had not God on his side; his works were wicked. The Church of Christ had defined that outside of her there was no salvation. It might be said that this was intolerance. Of course it was. Christ established one Church to lead men to salvation. All other religious organisations that pretend to be Christ's were false, and there must never be toleration for falsehood in the sense of admitting that it was the truth. There was one divinely established religion, and only one, and no amount of tolerance, or broad-mindedness, or freedom of conscience could alter that fact.

A HARD DOCTRINE.

The doctrine that outside the Church there is no salvation was a hard one, and required examination, continued the speaker, who examined two series of texts and statements, which, he said, seemed to be incompatible. Of these, one would go to show that there was no salvation outside the Catholic Church, and the other that every man could reach salvation if he wished. There was a difficulty based upon these apparently contradictory sets of quotations, and its solution must be, not in the sacrifice of either side, but in their reconciliation. The visible Church was the ordinary vehicle of salvation provided by God; every other means was extraordinary, and there was no salvation outside the Church in the sense that outside her salvation was impossible, except by special providence. She was the one and only specially instituted means of salvation. At the same time, it must be borne in mind that the influence of the Church was not restricted within the limits of her own fold. She operated for the salvation of millions who know her not. Those who were *de facto* outside the Church would not be saved if they were *mala fide*—that is, if they were outside the Church through their own fault.

INDIFFERENTISM.

There was no place for indifferentism, for the theory that one religion is just as reasonable and as good as another, and, as there was no place for indifferentism, so there was no place for individual non-Catholic forms of religion, or of religious teaching. They were false, every one of them. A person might be *bona fide*, but that did not affect the falsity of his position. If he were saved, it was not because of his sectarian affiliations, but in spite of them. There was no true Christianity and there was no true Church outside the Catholic Church. The Church, therefore, was indispensable. Men must join her in visible communion. Men must further possess that spiritual life of faith and love, without which mere external membership was dead and worthless.

DANGERS TO THE FAITH.

Going on to speak of dangers to the faith, the speaker referred to the danger of bad example, and said that there was something which was a greater danger, something which was as subtle as the air we breathe, and which deliberately, cunningly, heartlessly worked for the destruction of all morality and all Christian faith among the masses—the world's Press. Not the entire Press, but the most influential part of it, and he included as products of the Press every kind of printed matter. There was no need to stress the fact that the greater part of this Press was controlled by an international organisation, and used for the most sinister of purposes. Where was Christ in the world's Press? Mammon is knew and Epicurus it knew, and Venus, but Christ it did not know. Alas! the world's Press was pagan, starkly pagan. It gave them news considered from a pagan's point of view. It impressed them with the all inclusive importance of fine houses, luxurious cars, magnificent dinners, expensive dress. It introduced them to barbaric music, sensuous dance, demoralising pictures: it told them of the abrogation of the Sixth Commandment, and called it birth control but of self-control it did not tell them, nor of the command: "If any

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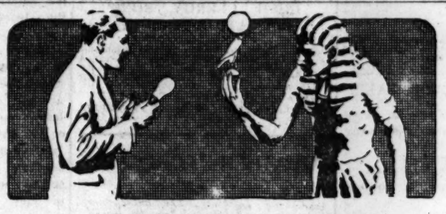

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TO-NIGHT AND FOLLOWING NIGHT AT 8.
MATINEE SATURDAY, 2.30.
MEADOWSWEET,
By SEAMUS O'KELLY.
THE SHADOW OF A GUNMAN,
By SEAN O'CASEY.
Booking at Theatre (10.30 to 6), and at Clery's.
Next Week—"LOOK AT THE HEFFERNANS!"

METROPOLE CINEMA.
NORMA SHEARER
IN
"THE MASK OF COMEDY."
DAILY AT 2.0, 4.30, 7.0, and 9.30 p.m.
REGINALD DENNY
IN
"FAST AND FURIOUS."
DAILY AT 3.25, 5.55, and 8.25 p.m.

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE BRIGADE IN IRELAND.
DANCE,
In aid of the Funds of the Welfare Dining Room, will be held in
THE METROPOLE BALLROOM,
TO-NIGHT (FRIDAY), OCTOBER 14th, 1927.
Dancing 8 to 12 o'c.
PERCIVAL MACKEY and ROGER MAY DANCE BANDS.
MISS MONTI RYAN, Speciality Dancer.
Tickets—7/6, obtainable at 40 Merrion Square and at door.

FAREWELL GALA DANCE,
METROPOLE BALLROOM,
TO-MORROW NIGHT.
LAST APPEARANCE OF
PERCIVAL MACKEY
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HIS BAND.
Special Cabaret Presentation,
Including
MISS MONTI RYAN,
From the Piccadilly Revels, London,
MISS DICKIE DIXON,
From the Leading London Cabarets,
And
HARRY ROBINS,
Britain's Greatest Four-Stick Xylophonist.
Also the Popular
ROGERS-MAY DANCE BAND.
8 TO 12 O'CLOCK.
TICKETS, 7/6. EVENING DRESS.

METROPOLE RESTAURANT
AND
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Finest Cuisine. Moderate Prices.
EXCELLENT TABLE D'HOTE LUNCHEON, 2/6.
COMFORTABLE SMOKEROOM.
All Floors Fully Licensed.
TEAS SERVED THROUGHOUT THE DAY AND EVENING.

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DEMPSEY v. TUNNEY FIGHT.
Showing at 2.30, 4.30, 6.30 and 8.30; and
THE BATTLE OF THE SOMME.
Showing at 3, 5, 7 and 9 o'clock.
A THOUSAND POUNDS PROGRAMME.

PHŒNIX PARK RACES,
TO-MORROW (SATURDAY).
LAST MEETING OF THE SEASON.
ATTRACTIVE PROGRAMME OF SIX EVENTS.
First Race, 3.0. Last Race, 5.5.
SPECIAL TRAIN.
A Special Train will leave Broadstone for Ashtown at 2.15 p.m., returning at 5.30 p.m.

MORAN'S HOTEL
BALLROOM.
SEASON 1927-28.
DANCING
EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY, FROM 8 to 11.
OPENING DANCE
TO-MORROW (SAT.) NIGHT.
HARRISON'S MAYFAIR DANCE BAND.
TICKETS ..... 3/- EACH.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

LOCAL APPOINTMENTS COMMISSION
POSITIONS VACANT—MIDWIVES.

The Local Appointments Commissioners invite applications for the following permanent, pensionable posts:—

Midwife, Drumshantlo Dispensary District, Co. Leitrim. Salary £30 a year.

Midwife, Ullid Dispensary District, Co. Kilkenny. Salary £40, rising by £1 a year to £52 a year.

Midwife, Fannett Dispensary District, Tirconaill. Salary £40, rising by £1 a year to £50 a year.

Applicants must have attained the age of 21 years, and must possess the midwifery qualifications prescribed by Article 20 of the General Rules for the Government of Dispensary Districts. Latest date for receiving applications is 31st October, 1927. Forms and full particulars may be obtained from The Secretary, Local Appointments Commission, 33 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.

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BLOWN TIMBER FOR SALE.

The Ministry of Agriculture offer for sale the following lots of timber:—

1. AT BARONSCOURT, NEWTOWNSTEWART, COUNTY TYRONE.
1,416 Larch Trees, and
1,147 Spruce and Scots Fir Trees.
This lot will be pointed out by Mr. E. Clark, Forestry Centre, Baronscourt.

2 AT BALLYKELLY, COUNTY LONDONDERRY.
1,960 Larch Trees, and
120 Spruce and Pine Trees.
The trees in this latter lot are of medium size, suitable for piles and pitwood.
This lot will be pointed out by Mr. W. Farren, Forestry Centre, Ballykelly.
A separate offer should be made for each lot, and all offers should be sent to the Ministry of Agriculture, 25 Wellington place, Belfast, on or before 20th October. Envelopes should be marked "Forestry Tender."
The highest or any offer may not be accepted

SERMONS.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.—Harvest Services. Preachers:—This Evening, 8 o'clock—Rev. E. Robinson. Sunday, 11.30—Rev. Canon Newport White. 3.30—Rev. W. F. Simpson. 7 o'clock—The Archdeacon of Glendalough.
SPECIAL MUSIC.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE GOODS OF
ASTREA FOXALL, late of 3 Mount Pleasant Villas, Bray, in the County of Wicklow, Spinster, Deceased.
All persons having claims against the Estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 7th day of September, 1927, are requested to furnish particulars to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executrix.
Dated this 12th day of October, 1927.
PORTER, MORRIS and CO., Solicitors,
8 Clare street, Dublin.

TIMOTHY FLANAGAN, late of 1 Phœnix terrace, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, Retired Bank Official, Deceased.
All persons claiming to be Creditors of above are requested to send particulars forthwith (in writing) of their claims to
LITTLE and CULLEN, Solicitors for the Executors, 24 St. Andrew street, Dublin.

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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.
6.45 ..... TWICE NIGHTLY ..... 9.0.
JOE MORRISON Presents his
PANORAMIC BAND,
In the Revue of all the Talents,
"STILL JAZZING."
Cast includes:—
CHARLIE WOOD, MAISIE TERRISS,
BRYANT, LEN BATTLE,
And Full Company.

WINTER GARDENS
DANCING.
4 TO 8 p.m. DAILY
SPECIAL ATTRACTION,
BY KIND PERMISSION OF
MR. JOE MORRISON
THE PANORAMIC BAND
FROM JAZZLAND REVUE.
WILL PLAY BETWEEN 4 AND 6 p.m.
TO-DAY.
TEA 2s. DANCING FREE.
1/- TEAS ON BALCONY.

THEATRE ROYAL.
On SUNDAY NEXT, 16th OCT.,
At 7.30 o'clock.
THE ST. NICHOLAS OF MYRA, FRANCIS STREET.
CONCERT
WILL TAKE PLACE.
Owing to heavy booking, purchasers of Voucher Tickets are requested to have these exchanged at once to avoid crush or delay on day of Concerts.

THE PAVILION,
DUN LAOGHAIRE. 3 o'c. to 10.15.
LAST 2 DAYS OF
"HOTEL IMPERIAL,"
THE BIG POLA NEGRI FILM.
At 3.40, 6.10, 8.45. New Comedies, Eve, etc.
NEXT MONDAY—"THE KID BROTHER."

ENORMOUS SUCCESS.
CAPITOL,
ALL THIS WEEK.
"BEN HUR,"
SHOWING AT 2.45, 5.45, and 8.45.
DOORS OPEN AT 2 O'CLOCK.
FULL ORCHESTRA OF 30 PERFORMERS AT EACH PERFORMANCE.
SPECIAL NOTICE
TO SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES:
THE MANAGEMENT SHALL BE PLEASED TO ARRANGE SPECIAL RESERVED SEATS FOR PARTIES FROM COLLEGES OR SCHOOLS.

THE GRAFTON.
REX INGRAM'S MASTERPIECE.
"THE MAGICIAN,"
By SOMERSET MAUGHAM.
With ALICE TERRY and PAUL WEGENER.
SHOWING AT 2.25, 4.45, 6.45 and 9.5.
Also
MUSICAL INTERLUDE BY THE ORCHESTRA
At 3.50 and 8.10.
Under the direction of Madame Van Anist.
"FOUR INDIAN LOVE LYRICS."

PUBLIC NOTICES.

HIBERNIAN AUXILIARY OF THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND ZENANA MISSIONARY SOCIETY.
A CONFERENCE
FOR SECRETARIES AND WORKERS
Will be held
TO-DAY
In the DAWSON HALL, 42 DAWSON STREET,
From 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.
AFTERNOON MEETING AT 2.45 P.M.,
OPEN TO ALL.
Devotional Address, Rev. Canon Somerville, M.A.
Talks on India and China, by Mrs. Sinclair Stevenson, Miss Mary E. Darley, and Miss Maud Boax.
TEA at 4.30, 6d. each. COLLECTION.

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.
CREATION OF STOCK.
Pursuant to the Public Health Acts Amendment Act, 1890, and the regulations issued thereunder, notice is hereby given that the Corporation of Dublin (acting by the Commissioners of the County Borough of Dublin) will at a specially convened Meeting to be held on Saturday, 29th October, 1927, consider, and, if approved, adopt a resolution recommending the creation of Dublin Corporation Five per Cent. Stock to produce £10,770—the Stock being redeemable at par on 1st January, 1976 (or at the option of the Corporation on 1st January, 1946, or any intervening date up to 1st January, 1976).
GERALD J. SHERLOCK, Town Clerk.
Town Clerk's Office, City Hall, Dublin,
13th October, 1927. K.A.A.

PEMBROKE URBAN DISTRICT, CO. DUBLIN.
ANNUAL REVISION OF RATEABLE VALUATIONS.
DECISIONS ON APPEALS.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:
1. That consequent upon inquiry into the subject matter of all Notices received from persons aggrieved by reason of the Valuation or inaccurate statement of area, or inaccurate description, of any tenement or hereditament, the Commissioner of Valuation has on this date transmitted to me a statement of all the cases in this Urban District in which he has altered, or refused to alter, the Valuation or statement of area of any such tenement or hereditament or otherwise amended the same in accordance with Section 20 of the Valuation (Ireland) Act, 1852.
2. That the said statement will remain open for inspection at my Office and extracts therefrom be taken between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m., 5 o'clock p.m., save Saturday, 10 o'clock a.m. to 1 o'clock p.m., for twenty-one days from the date hereof.
3. That any person aggrieved by the valuation of any tenement or tenements contained in said statement, and desiring to appeal therefrom, may within twenty-one days from the date hereof, by post or otherwise, deliver to me a notice in writing, duly signed by him, the said person aggrieved, or by his known agent, of his intention to appeal to the Circuit Court in the manner provided under Section 22 of the said Valuation (Ireland) Act, 1852.
Dated this 11th day of October, 1927.
JOSHUA C. MANLY,
Clerk of the Urban District Council.
Town Hall, Ballsbridge, Co. Dublin.

IRISH CLERGY SONS' EDUCATION SOCIETY.
There will be an Election for One Scholarship on WEDNESDAY, 7th DECEMBER. Application Forms, which can be obtained from the Secretary, 35 Kildare street, Dublin, must be returned before 5th November.

TAKE NOTICE that I, WILLIAM RYAN, 96 TALBOT ST., DUBLIN, intend to make application for Bookmaker's Licence to bet on Course.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—The anti-cyclone recently over the British Isles has moved away westwards. Secondary depressions, associated with a deepening depression over Scandinavia, will probably cause occasional rain or drizzle in most places, with light to moderate winds, mainly from some northerly point.

Ireland, all Districts.—Moderate northerly winds; rain or drizzle at times in most places; local mist in the early morning; moderate temperature.

South-West Seaboard.—Light to moderate north-east winds, becoming generally dull, with local rain before long; visibility poor at times; sea slight.

Irish Sea, St. George's Channel and North-West Seaboard.—Moderate northerly winds; occasional rain or drizzle; visibility poor at times; sea slight.

Dixon and Hempenstall Barometers and Thermometers. 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

Hr.	Bar.	Thermometer. Temp. 9 p.m.	Max.	Min.	Grass Min.	Wind.	Rain, m.m.	Sun hours
8	30.410	52.2	61	42	35	E.	—	7.3
9	30.432	50.7	59	40	40	S.E.	—	8.4
10	30.366	49.7	58	41	33	E.	—	7.0
11	30.480	52.2	58	41	34	S.E.	—	0.9
12	30.460	49.0	54	47	46	—	—	—
13	30.150	75.5	58	43	38	W.	Trace	0.8

THE SUN.

To-day....	Rises	6.48	Sets 5.54
To-morrow..	,,	6.50	,, 5.31
Lighting-up Time			6.34

HIGH WATER—DUBLIN.

To-day....	Morning	1. 9	Afternoon 1.42
To-morrow..	,,	2. 5	,, 2.28

Eight hundred men and boys employed at two pits of Garswood Hall Colliery Company, Ltd., in the Wigan coalfield, have received seven days' notice. Efforts are being made to find work for two hundred of the displaced men at other of the company's pits. The coal trade in the district is very depressed.

The Irish Times.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1927.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The report of the Departmental Commission on Local Government Administration in Northern Ireland was laid on the table of the Six Counties Parliament yesterday. It suggests revolutionary changes in the administration of local affairs.—(Page 7.)

The Northern Parliament yesterday gave the second reading to a bill which aims at preventing unscrupulous landlords from placing a few articles of furniture in a house and letting it as a "furnished" dwelling.—(Page 8.)

A young man named Charles Davis was arrested at Kingstown yesterday and charged with having murdered his father, Charles Davis, aged 50, by shooting him with a revolver at their home at Mountown, Kingstown, yesterday.—(Page 5.)

"The Church Indispensable" was the subject of a paper read at yesterday afternoon's session of the Catholic Truth Society's Conference in the Dublin Mansion House. A reception was held in the evening.—(Page 5.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

Mrs. Gill, of Sheffield, who started from Cap Grisnez to swim the Channel at 9.11 a.m. yesterday, landed at Shakespeare beach at 12.20 this morning.—(Page 7.)

The attendance at the opening day of the Motor Show at Olympia, London, yesterday, was 7,227. One British firm sold its complete output for 1928 in half-an-hour.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD

The Soviet Government has officially informed the French Government that it is recalling M. Rakowsky, the Soviet Ambassador in Paris.—(Page 7.)

Miss Ruth Elder and Captain Haldeman came down on the sea beside the Dutch tanker Barendrecht off the Azores.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING

At Tralee yesterday Queen Chow won the Directors' Plate, Lisworney the Ballybeggan Plate, Rippling the Stewards' Plate, Marchesi the Kenmare Plate, and Kildarra Boy the Kerry Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Newmarket Pharamond won the Middle Park Stakes.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL

London Stock Markets were quiet, with strong features. British Celanese rallied smartly.—(Page 4.)

Conditions in Lombard street were easier, and overnight loans were made at 3½ per cent. and afterwards at 3½ per cent. Discounts were idle.—(Page 4.)

In Dublin Guinness Shares rose sharply to 45½, and then declined to 45¼, a rise of 1 1-16 on the day. Courtaulds and Marconis were strong spots.—(Page 4.)

The Conquering Car.

Every motorist in Ireland, unable to visit London, must have felt his teeth water, as the saying is, when he read accounts of this year's Motor Show at Olympia. These exhibits, reaching a total value of one million pounds, display the latest ingenuities and the latest luxuries in the automobile world. Among the six hundred different types of cars are some that are sold for as little as £125 and others—sumptuous vehicles that are as well equipped as a pleasure yacht—which cost up to £4,000. Within three months cars of these models will be selling on the general market, and old models will be offered at reduced prices that will bring motoring within the reach of almost all classes of the population. It is said that one firm has arranged for a production of no fewer than 80,000 cars during the next twelve months, and that something like 5,000 cars of all types will be launched on the British roads every week henceforward. These prodigious figures explain the elaborate character of the exhibition. Firm vies with firm in the contrivance of fresh refinements. Improved "silencers" are shown, promising the general elimination of noise in motoring. New gearing appliances, which enable gears to be changed without the inconvenience of disengaging the engine; new enamels which cannot be scratched, fans which observe and indicate the speed of the wind, and many ingenious attachments for the carrying of luggage—these are but a few of the new amenities of the car.

Among the most significant developments to be observed at Olympia this year is the low build of the latest models. With the increase of speed, the need for lower cars has asserted itself, and with the increased power of the modern engine it has become possible to bring the chassis lower and lower. The outcome is a faster, and yet far safer, vehicle. Of late we have seen the fruit of this tendency on the Irish roads, where the biggest and latest motor omnibuses present a large flat base within a few inches of the ground and could not be overturned in any ordinary emergency. That the very build of cars now strives after safety is not remarkable. In Britain there now are over one and three-quarter million licensed motor cars, and, if the present rate of increase is maintained, this total will be doubled within five years. The imagination needs little prompting to conceive the congestion and the dangers which thus are growing on the roads. Already a man may seek loneliness upon the rolling Downs only to find motor vehicles climbing the roadless slopes and penetrating the most sequestered hollows. The Home Secretary, addressing the Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders, on Wednesday, said that driving to the common danger and driving to the common annoyance of His Majesty's subjects alike must be brought under control. To that end motorists must co-operate by the arrangement of a better code of the road, and the law must act by the enforcement of stringent regulations.

Every great advance in civilisation is accompanied by losses, dangers and sentimental bereavements. Motoring has cost many lives and has inflicted many injuries, but its benefits to humanity outweigh its hurts. Already it has made life more liberal for hundreds of thousands of people of the middle classes. The Dublin or Cork wage-earner now can live in rural surroundings, and at the week's end he can take his family at small cost into the green plains beyond the hills; he can see his country's "sights" from Cashel to Galway, and he can play golf on the banks of the Shannon. The wayside inn is reviving, and architecture is resuming its mediæval beauty as men build cottage dwellings among fields instead of terraced villas in narrow streets. While the individual thus is given a large scope of interest, communities, too, are influenced. Frontiers that sprang up in the dark ages after the Roman Empire and its roads were shattered are coming to be seen as irksome hindrances to the free enjoyment of the European heritage. Isolation is at an end, and the more backward neighbourhoods now are linked to the energies of human progress—to renew their youth or to perish from innate decadence. The motor omnibus at night, running along our country roads, is the most picturesque of sights, and seems to suggest travelling lights of home. It has been demonstrated by this year's Motor Show that Britain now makes the best cars. England, however, with its dense population and its shrunken countryside, is a land in which the motor car yields the least of its benefits. Ireland, on the other hand, with its richly varied scenery, would be a motorist's paradise if the improvement of its roads and hotels were made complete.

The Philippines.

After the Spanish-American War of 1898 the United States acquired the Philippine Islands, and Mr. Kipling wrote his poem about "the white man's burden." The experience of thirty years has taught Washington that he was a true prophet. American government in the Philippines is benevolent, but the Filipino is not happy. It is the old question of home rule. The native Legislature, conceded by western notions of liberty, is in perpetual conflict with the white Executive. A despatch from the Correspondent of *The Times* at Manila indicates that in the present vacancy of the Governor-Generalship—the late Major-General Wood's successor has not been appointed—the campaign against American authority has received a fresh impetus. General Wood's last instruction was that the high proportion of American officers in the police force must be maintained. Now Señor Manuel Quezon, President of the Senate, has "advised" General Nathorst, Chief of Constabulary, to discontinue the appointment of American officers. There are some 150 constabulary posts throughout the archipelago; patrols are constantly on the move in jungle and forest; and the American officers and men speak the dialect and are intimately familiar with native customs. The value of such a service for purposes of "intelligence" is enormous so long as its integrity is assured. If its direction should become incompetent or untrustworthy, it would be worse than useless; and, therefore, the Executive certainly will ignore Señor Quezon's "advice." Furthermore, since the death of General Wood the Senate has refused to approve some of his more important arrangements, including the appointment of Major O. M. Johnson to be Governor of Lanao, which is the most turbulent province in the island of Mindanao. The Filipino leaders demand a native Governor, and the "Association of Students" advocates the appointment of a man whom General Wood had removed from the province "for reasons of policy." Here the Correspondent of *The Times* explains that most of the universities and colleges are hot-beds of anti-Americanism, in which the seeds of discontent are sown by text-books that are "thinly disguised instruments of pan-Malayan propaganda." On the whole, it appears that, at the end of thirty years of earnest striving, America's experiment in the "democratisation" of an Oriental people in a tropical land has not been an unqualified success. The Legislature, ignoring the blessings of western progress, continues to wage an intensive campaign for "absolute, unqualified and immediate independence," and to obstruct all measures of material development. Especially disappointing is the fruit of the hundreds of high schools and thousands of primary schools with which American zeal for eduction has studded the archipelago. They are centres not only of political agitation, but of economic mischief. "Every year," says the Correspondent, "tens of thousands of youths are being turned out of the public schools with a smattering of book knowledge—a training that fits them for nothing except subordinate clerical work. They refuse to go back to the land. In every town there is a surplus of lawyers, politicians and petty clerks. In every canefield there is a scarcity of labour."

Many Inventions.

A huge variety of inventions, ranging from a collar stud which cannot be lost to a flying bicycle, is displayed at the Exhibition of Inventions in the Central Hall, Westminster. They include a bathing costume, guaranteed to give safety in the water, an arrangement to turn parcels while they are being tied, which should be very useful to shop assistants, and an electric toast meter, which will toast light, brown or dark, according to choice. A walking stick that shows a red light when it strikes the ground ought to be a boon to pedestrians at night on unlighted roads. There is also an anti-dazzle device for motorists, and a cigarette paper, with perforated ends to prevent tobacco from getting into the mouth of the inexpert or preoccupied smoker. Probably there are practical difficulties which will disqualify many of these ingenious contrivances for the commercial market. As Viscount Burnham pointed out, however, if even only five *per cent.* of them are successes, the purpose of the Exhibition, which is to introduce inventors to manufacturers, will be fulfilled. Mechanical progress may have some drawbacks, but there is no doubt that it has eliminated many of the harder and more unpleasant kinds of unskilled labour. It tends also to save time and trouble in the business of every-day life. Novelists and "futurists" try to frighten us with the prospect that, by the use of calculating machines and like inventions, we shall become mere calculating machines ourselves; but nobody will be deterred by such forebodings from the enjoyment of an illuminated walking stick in a tramp on a country road, or of a bathing costume which is guaranteed not to bear him to a watery grave. The most popular inventions are those which save labour in the household, and inventors who employ their talents successfully in this field may hope to amass a fortune. A device to conserve the supply of clothes-pegs on washing day, which is among the exhibits at the Central Hall, may be acclaimed ultimately as the outstanding discovery of the Exhibition.

An Artistic Mongrel.

It is improbable that the cinematograph ever will drive the spoken drama from popular favour. Even if experiments to produce talking pictures achieve some measure of success, the actor, living and moving in the same room with ourselves, always will have the advantage of reality. An attempt to combine the best of both worlds, however, has been made in a theatrical production in Berlin. Moving pictures, taken in 1914, showing German troops on their way to the front, are exhibited, followed by scenes of battle and important events in German public life, which culminate in the flight of the Kaiser and the establishment of the Republic. When the necessary atmosphere has been created in this fashion the curtain goes up and the real play begins. The cinematograph again is employed during the progress of the drama in order to introduce mysterious shadows, and between the acts films are thrown on the screen of significant incidents and personages in modern life—including earthquakes, Lenin and Dempsey. This mixture is meant to represent the flight of time, and to drive home the moral of the play—that the more everything changes, the more it remains the same. The German innovation might be used sparingly with advantage by intelligent producers, but inevitably, if it became popular, it would be regarded as a means to prolong the life of plays which had little merit of their own. If a dramatist can depend upon help of this kind, he is less disposed to make exacting demands on the resources of his own fancy. A film of Hamlet's grapple with the pirates might give a more vivid idea of the affair than his letter to Horatio, but it would take the play, even if only for a few minutes, out of "the realms of gold."

FAMOUS TINTORETTO PORTRAIT

PURCHASED FOR MELBOURNE.

Il Tintoretto's famous portrait of Doge Pietro Loredano, which was in the collection of Prince Lichnowsky, the German Ambassador in England at the beginning of the war, has been purchased for the National Gallery of Victoria, Melbourne. For many years the picture was at the home of Prince Lichnowsky at the Castle of Kuchelna, Czecho-Slovakia, but recently it was acquired by Messrs. Knoedler, the London and New York firm of art dealers. Its acquisition by the National Gallery of Victoria came through the Felton Bequest, a gift that has enabled Australia to secure many art treasures.

Il Tintoretto lived from 1518 to 1594. His most famous pictures were "El Paradiso," "The Miracle of St. Mark," "The Crucifixion," and "The Marriage at Cana."

The portrait of Doge Pietro Loredano was painted about 1567. He was the eighty-fourth Doge of Venice. Elected in 1567, he was not expecting the honour, for he was not one of the four candidates. He was on his way home at St. Toma when he was offered "a residence for life on the Rialto." During his Dogeate of three years there was a famine. Riots broke out, and the arsenal was destroyed, and with it the old church and monastery of the "Celestia."

Loredano was a patron of Tintoretto, but the artist's pictures, with several other renowned masterpieces, were destroyed in a great fire at the Ducal Palace seven years after Loredano's death.

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HELP SOCIETY.

ENJOYABLE DANCE AT THE METROPOLE.

The Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society will benefit considerably by the dance which was held last night in the Metropole Ballroom, Dublin. It was one of the most enjoyable functions of the year, and the attendance numbered over three hundred. The Governor-General, under whose patronage it was organised, was unable to be present.

Mr. Percival Mackay and his band, from the Riviera and Ambassadors' Clubs, London, gave an excellent performance, and had to respond to numerous calls for encores. Their playing of a selection of old waltzes was much enjoyed, while their rendering of the latest dance music was very effective. Mr. Mackay has selected his thirteen instrumentalists with great care, and every one of them is an accomplished artist. This is the first time that the band has visited Dublin, and the visit involved the cancelling of a London engagement. On leaving Dublin, Mr. Mackay and his band will open the London season at the Kit Kat Club.

Miss Monti Ryan gave clever exhibitions of the "Charleston" and the "Blackbottom," and her eccentric dances were warmly applauded. She was compelled to repeat several of her numbers. Miss Dickie Dixon, in her latest lady's evening dress—double-breasted dinner jacket and black skirt—sang several songs. Mr. Harry Robbins, the xylophonist, received well-merited applause for his skilful playing.

The Rogers-May Band also played excellent dance music.

The ballroom had been specially decorated for the occasion, and presented a very pleasing appearance. The management of the Metropole gave the organisers of the dance valuable assistance. The Chairman, Mr. Porter and Mr. M. J. Nolan, the joint secretaries who organised the dance, are to be congratulated on the success that attended their efforts.

Among those present were—The Countess of Fingall, the United States Minister, Mr. F. Stirling; Lady Arnott, D.B.E.; Sir John Keane, the Contessa Van Cutsem, Captain Arnott, Colonel Brancker, Newman, Mr. H. W. Pack Beresford, Mrs. Gainsford St. Lawrence, M.B.E., and party; Major Gough, and party; Major Hamilton, Miss Mclaughlin, Mrs. Willeson, the Hon. Mrs. Porter and party, Major J. J. Tynan, British Legion; Mr. M. J. Nolan, Vice-Chairman, British Legion, and Mrs. Nolan; Miss M. Blunnt, M.B.E.; Captain G. D. Maguire, Captain H. J. Maguire, Mrs. J. Canning Loughridge, Major and Mrs. Bryan R. Cooper, Miss Irene Core-Hickman, Captain Pilkington, Mr. F. Pilkington, Captain Anderson, Captain Ramsey, Dr. Magennis, Mr. R. J. Duggan, Dr. McMenamin, Commendatore Silenzi, Royal Italian Consul-General, and Signora Silenzi; Mr. and Mrs. T. Purefoy, the Hon. Cynthia Wexford, Captain Anderson, Mr. and Miss Miller, Miss Jolley, Mr. Sherriff, Mr. T. Wonlfe, the Misses Grace, Miss Sheila Richards, Dr. and Mrs. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Crofton.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS

Meath Hospital, 4.30 p.m.
St. John Ambulance Brigade Dance, 8 p.m.
Catholic Truth Society—Address by the Rev. J. Gannon, S.J., 3 p.m.; Address by the Rev. A. Kyan, D.D., 8 p.m.
Gaiety Theatre—"Queen High."
Theatre Royal—"Still Jazzing."
Olympia Theatre—"Bed and Breakfast."
Abbey Theatre—"Meadowsweet" and "The Shadow of a Gunman."
Grafton Cinema—"The Magician."
The Capitol—"Ben Hur."
Metropole Cinema—"The Mask of Comedy."
Corinthian Cinema—"The Battle of the Somme."
Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"Hotel Imperial."

NEW LIFFEY BY-LAW.

The announcement of a new River Liffey by-law will be found in our advertising columns. It prohibits the use of any net for the capture of salmon, or capable of taking salmon, between sunset and sunrise in the area between a point half a mile from the mouth of the River Dodder and a point two hundred yards to the westward of the western side of the Sarah Bridge. Between the eastern side of O'Connell Bridge and the line defined it is prohibited to have any such net on board any boat between sunset and sunrise.

Professor Stephen Shea, M.E., has been chosen to represent University College, Galway, on the Irish Free State Medical Registration Council. The representative of University College, Cork, will be appointed on the 21st inst.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

On his return from Bournemouth next Wednesday, the Prince of Wales will attend the Motor Ball and Carnival in London, when the members of the Schneider Cup team will be among the guests. His Royal Highness will visit Shrewsbury on Friday, October 21st, and will stay with his uncle and aunt, the Marquis and Marchioness of Cambridge, at Shotton Hall.

The Duke of York has accepted the invitation of the Lord Mayor of London to the dinner in the Mansion House, in aid of the Dockland Settlements, on Thursday, November 3rd. Prince Henry will preside at the dinner in the Connaught Rooms, which is being organised by the Printers' Pension Corporation in celebration of its centenary next month.

The Princess Royal, who made a long stay this autumn at Mar Lodge, Braemar, returned yesterday to London. Lord Carnegie and Lady Maud Carnegie are remaining for the present at Elsick House, Kincardineshire, and will not return to London till next month.

The Marquis and Marchioness of Zetland are expected to return to Aske Hall, Yorkshire, next week from Perthshire, where they have spent the past two months. The Marchioness of Cholmondeley has left Houghton Hall, Norfolk, for her residence in Kensington Palace Gardens. The Marquis and Marchioness of Sligo will leave Glendoll, Kerriemuir, to-morrow for London.

The Queen, Princess Helena Victoria, the Duke of Devonshire, the Duke of Northumberland, the Duke of Portland, the Countess of Warwick, Countess Beatty, the Earl of Mount Edgcumbe, the Countess of Aylesford and Sir Philip Sassoon are among the exhibitors of specimens of historic needlework at the loan exhibition of antique embroideries and curios, which is being held in Hove Town Hall, in aid of the Royal Sussex County Hospital. Many of these priceless pieces of needlework are being shown for the first time in public.

Lord and Lady Dunleath have been at their shooting lodge in Scotland since the season started. Sir Richard and Lady Butler have arrived in London for the winter.

The Earl and Countess of Mount Edgcumbe have returned to London from Scotland. Other arrivals in London this week include Priscilla Countess Annesley, the Dowager Countess of Halsbury, Viscount and Viscountess Chelmsford, Viscount and Viscountess Gladstone, Lady Lamington, Lord Abercorn, Lord Danesfort, Admiral Sir Francis Bridgeman Lady Hillingdon and the Hon. John and Mrs. Dewar.

The marriage as arranged between Doctor William R. Cussen, son of the late John Henry and Mrs. Cussen, of Rathgar, and Nora, second daughter of the late Joseph and Mrs. O'Mara, of Glenmore, Ailesbury Park, will take place at the end of this month.

Doctor Robert Davitt has returned to 33 Fitzwilliam square.

Dr. A. P. MacMahon has returned to Kimberley, Terenure road.

Switzers full collection of beautiful Autumn Hats is now complete. Their Millinery Buyer has returned with the season's smartest Models, which can be copied at very moderate prices.

Royal Hibernian Hotel, Dublin, and Saltbill Hotel, Monkstown, now quoting special winter terms. Meals interchangeable between both hotels. For particulars apply Manager.

Last Two Days—Elizabeth Arden's Expert will give free consultations on the Care and Treatment of the Skin to-day and to-morrow (Saturday). Book your appointment now. 'Phone 4971.—Forrest and Sons, Ltd., Grafton street.

Arnotts of Henry street for footwear.

Madame Renée's Fur-trimmed Coats are undoubtedly the smartest. Prices moderate. 51a Dawson street.

T. J. Rogers, South King street, Dublin, sole importer of Ansaldo and Rhode Cars, will be in attendance at Olympia, Stands Nos. 16 and 9.

PASSENGERS BY ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.
Arrivals—G. J. O'Donnell, Mr. M. J. and Mrs. O'Mahony, W. H. Carmichael, W. Carmichael, D. Gregory, E. Taylor, Dr. Muriel Prentice.
Departures—Mr. and Mrs. John Healy, Dr. M. M. Price, Captain Fitzgerald Marum, Dr. V. St. G. Vaughan, Captain S. Verschoyle, R. G. Jones, Daniel J. Burke, Leslie N. Lemm, R. French-White, Cecil B. McWeeney, L. Goodman.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.
Arrivals—P. Gee, W. Gee, P. J. Kelly, T. Thomas, J. J. Murphy, W. Russell, W. Sawyer, T. Gresham.
Departures—Lady Lawrence, T. Fitzherbert, T. Caplin, P. McGee, Mr. and Mrs. T. Guthrie, J. Gunn, T. Hudson, F. G. Howarth, G. Gibson, T. Dunsford, F. A. Wallen, G. N. Dunn.

McBirney and Co., Ltd., Aston's quay, Dublin, are this week showing some exceptionally smart models in Ladies' Coats and Millinery at attractive prices. These have only just been received, and represent the latest fashion decrees.

The Mansfield Sisters hold a large stock of Suede Coats, highest quality; prices the lowest. Also smart Tailored Skir

ATLANTIC FLIERS SAFE.

RESCUED OFF THE AZORES BY A DUTCH STEAMER.

MACHINE DESTROYED BY FIRE.

TWO-THIRDS OF THE JOURNEY TO PARIS COMPLETED.

MISS Ruth Elder, the 23-year-old "Queen of Beauty," and her companion, Captain George Haldeman, who left New York on Tuesday afternoon in an effort to fly to Paris, are safe.

The machine, the American Girl, came down in the Atlantic about 550 miles north-east of the Azores, having covered about two-thirds of the journey. It is stated in the brief wireless messages that have been received that the oil line which connects the petrol tank with the engine had broken and the machine alighted on the sea near the Dutch tanker Barendrecht, which is landing the fliers in the Azores on Saturday morning. The Dutch steamer, which left Valentia (Spain) on Sept. 21st bound for Houston (Texas), transmitted the messages of the safety of the aviators through the British liner Bayona.

It is known that the American Girl was destroyed by fire, says a Reuter message.

"OKEY."

AIRWOMAN'S MESSAGE TO PARIS.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Thursday.

The news that Miss Elder was safe was received direct from herself by the Associated Press Office in Paris, where the following wireless message was delivered at 4.40 this afternoon :—

RADIO BARENDRECHT, VIA BAYARD.

ASSOCIATED PRESS, PARIS.
Landed by S.s. Barendrecht, with broken oil line. Both Haldeman and I Okey.

RUTH ELDER.

Later the following message was received from the steamer Barendrecht :—

Barendrecht saved crew of flying engine NX 1384, from New York to Paris. Both well. Engine destroyed by fire while saving. Trying to land both at Azores. Position 43.34 North, 21.39 West.

This is roughly 550 miles north-east of the Azores and about 1,000 miles south-west of the Irish coast.

The Barendrecht, which is a Dutch oil tank steamship, left Valentia (Spain) on September 21st, bound for Houston (Texas).

TROUBLE WITH TRANSLATION.

It is appreciated here that, in addition to the telegram which she despatched to the Press, Miss Elder should have also sent an identical message to the authorities at Le Bourget, who were anxiously waiting her arrival.

It was owing to difficulties in translating the English—the letters S.S. and O.K. constituting the chief stumbling blocks—that some confusion arose, and that it was first announced that Miss Elder had landed in Holland. The experts had actually spent a quarter of an hour making calculations as to the length of time taken and the amount of petrol consumed, before a correct interpretation of the message was reached.

The telegram was received at Le Bourget shortly after 5 p.m.; the hour of despatch was given as 3.8 p.m.

WIFE WHO CRIED ALL NIGHT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
NEW YORK, Thursday.

From grease-covered mechanics and wind-burned pilots at Roosevelt field, up to President Coolidge himself, the whole American public learned with feelings of fervent joy from the special editions of the evening papers the news of the rescue of Miss Elder and Captain Haldeman in mid-Atlantic.

More than forty hours had passed without tidings of the American Girl, and the anxiety became much more intense this morning. Here, as apparently in Paris, there was nothing but hopelessness until word of the rescue came.

Mr. and Mrs. Elder, the missing girl's father and mother, heard the glad tidings at Anniston, Alabama. Both were almost in a state of collapse, and neither had slept a wink last night. The brothers and sisters of Ruth, who was the baby of the family, had gathered in their parents' home to await the news. The parents bore up bravely, but they had almost given up hope.

"I did my best to feel all right about it," said Mr. Elder, "but my heart began sinking, and I told my wife I thought our daughter was lost. Our joy is now unbounded."

Her eyes sparkling with tears she could not control, Mrs. Haldeman, wife of the pilot of the American Girl, was "almost too happy to speak," when informed at her hotel in New York that her husband had been rescued at sea. She confessed that she had been crying all through the night. "I tried hard to sleep," she said, "but I just lay there wondering when word would come, hoping against hope, that nothing had happened to them. And then word did come," she exclaimed joyfully, tears welling into her eyes. "I am so happy; so relieved."

There is only one wireless operator on the Barendrecht, which rescued Miss Elder and Captain Haldeman, and he is simply inundated with requests for information.

MISS ELDER TO HER MOTHER.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
ANNISTON (ALABAMA), Thursday.

The following message has just been received from Miss Ruth Elder, on board the Barendrecht, by her mother here :—

"We are safe, and no one any worse off. Landed by steamship Barendrecht. Wire you plans later. Love.—Ruth."

NEWS IN NEW YORK.

ADMIRATION FOR MISS ELDER'S PLUCK.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.
NEW YORK, Thursday.

The bare fact that Miss Ruth Elder and Captain Haldeman had come down in the sea near the steamship Barendrecht, reached New York at noon, just when the streets were full of office-workers going to lunch.

Extra editions of the newspapers were out in a few minutes and the news spread rapidly throughout the city. It was received everywhere with rejoicing, and admiration of the pluck of the adventurous girl and her pilot.

At first it was erroneously reported that the Barendrecht was on a voyage from Valencia to Rotterdam, and from that it was inferred that the aviators had all but reached their goal. Not until several hours later was it known that they had come down off the Azores, but even then there was no less admiration for their feat.

Probably the praise was the more hearty because long before the take-off the public had come to believe that a flight across the ocean was never really intended, but that the flight was instead a pretence to make copy for some advertising scheme.

When all day yesterday there was no news of any ship sighting the aeroplane, though her course was to follow the ship lanes, it was generally assumed that the American Girl and her crew had come to grief.

Miss Ruth Elder's parents were plainly apprehensive, but Mrs. Haldeman remained serene and confident, and was the least surprised of all those who heard the news this morning. "I knew they would be all right," she exclaimed. Mrs. Elder said the same thing, but with obvious relief.

KEN WOOD ESTATE.

THE LATE LORD IVEAGH'S GIFT.

The Press Association is authorised to say that the remaining seventy-four acres of the Ken Wood Estate, Hampstead, will be passed to the public under the terms of the will of the late Earl of Iveagh. Some time must elapse before further information can be given, as there are other philanthropic provisions in the will, involving the preparation of much detail.

It is also stated authoritatively that the published figures of the value of the late Peer's estate are exaggerated.

LADY IVEAGH TO CONTEST SOUTHEND.

Lady Iveagh has accepted the invitation of the Conservative Association of Southend to be their candidate in the Parliamentary by-election caused by her husband's succession to the Peerage on the death of his father.

Lord Iveagh represented Southend as a Conservative from 1918, and Lady Iveagh has been closely associated during that period with the political life of the borough. If she is elected, she will be the second Peeress to occupy a seat previously held in the House of Commons by her husband. The first was Lady Astor, who was returned for the Sutton Division of Plymouth in 1919 upon her husband's succeeding to the Peerage.

At the last election at Southend the figures were :—

Viscount Elveden (Cons.)	23,417
Mr. J. D. Young (Lib.)	10,924
Mr. S. A. Moseley (Lab.)	3,144

SOVIET RECALLS RAKOWSKY.

NOTE TO THE FRENCH AMBASSADOR.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR CONSEQUENCES.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Thursday.

The Soviet Government has officially informed the French Government that it is recalling M. Rakowsky, the Soviet Ambassador in Paris. The Soviet Government proposes to replace him by M. Dougalovski, who is at present Ambassador in Tokio, and was formerly Commissary for Posts and Telegraphs.

M. Dougalovski is an electrical engineer who was deported to Siberia under the Tsarist *régime*, but made his escape in 1908.

THE SOVIET NOTE TO FRANCE.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
MOSCOW, Thursday.

M. Tchitcherin, in the course of his Note in reply to the French request for the recall of Rakowsky, which was handed to the French Ambassador in Moscow today, says :—"While the Union Government does not deny the French Government's right to demand the recall of a representative of a foreign State, it considers such a demand, especially when it refers to an Ambassador who for two years has successfully conducted in the interests of both States most important negotiations which have yielded very substantial results, should be really well founded."

The Note goes on to say that the Union Government feels bound to declare that it cannot agree to the arguments laid down in the French Note. With reference to Rakowsky having signed at Moscow in the inner party discussion the declaration of August 9, M. Tchitcherin declares that this affair was the subject of an exchange of verbal notes and conversations between the French Ambassador and himself, and that he had been assured that the incident might be considered closed. It is incomprehensible, he says, why France now reverts to this question again and demands satisfaction.

RESPONSIBILITY DISCLAIMED.

The Soviet Government declines to assume responsibility "in the smallest measure" for M. Rakowsky's recall or the eventual consequences of this recall, and the Note proceeds :—"The U.S.S.R. Government does not deny the French Government's right to demand that the Ambassador of a foreign State should be replaced by another Ambassador, and it cannot do otherwise than take into account the fact of such a demand on the part of the French Government, in spite of the groundlessness of the reasons communicated to the Soviet Government. The U.S.S.R. Government, therefore, considers itself compelled to relieve M. Rakowsky of his duties as Ambassador to France, and to appoint his successor, for whom it now asks the agreement of the French Government."

CARDINAL O'DONNELL.

CONDITION IMPROVED, BUT STILL SERIOUS.

Speaking at the reception in the Round Room of the Mansion House, Dublin, last night, in connection with the Catholic Truth Society Conference, the Archbishop of Cashel (the Most Rev. Dr. Harty) said that since he had come to the hall he had received from Dr. Finnegan, who was in attendance on Cardinal O'Donnell, the following telegram :—

"The condition of His Eminence is improved, but still serious."

The Archbishop said that he hoped they would still continue their prayers for the recovery of His Eminence, who had always been a most faithful supporter of the Catholic Truth Society of Ireland.

They were deeply moved by the illness which had attacked him. If His Eminence were with them he would be very specially delighted with the success of their gatherings

THE NEWS IN ARMAGH.

ARMAGH, Thursday Night.

News reached Armagh this evening that Cardinal O'Donnell had rallied considerably from the early morning attack. It is reported that this evening the distinguished patient is free from pain, and his condition gives somewhat less cause for anxiety.

MISSING SCHOOL TEACHER

FOUND NEAR HER HOME IN BELFAST.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
BELFAST, Thursday.

Miss Eleanor D. Boyd, the Leeds teacher, who disappeared from Headingley on Thursday of last week, was recognised at about four o'clock this afternoon walking in the vicinity of her parents' house at Knock, Belfast.

Neighbours who knew her informed her relatives, and she was immediately taken to the house of a friend.

She looked extremely tired, and was at once put to bed. Two doctors were summoned, and they expressed the belief that Miss Boyd was suffering from loss of memory.

This evening it was learned that Miss Boyd had made no statement, except that when asked how she reached Belfast she replied "I walked." She has not spoken since she was put to bed.

MRS. GILL SWIMS THE CHANNEL.

AFFECTED BY COLD AND STRAIN.

Mrs. Gill, of Sheffield, who started from Cap Grisnez at 9.11 on Thursday morning, landed at Shakespeare Beach, Dover, at 12.20 o'clock this morning. Her time was, therefore, 15 hours 9 minutes.

One of the party in the motor boat accompanying Mrs. Gill, in an interview, said :—"The water was somewhat rough during the first hour, and there was a mist hanging over the Channel. The temperature of the water inshore was 57.2, but in mid-Channel it was very much colder. Good progress was made. She used the breast stroke during the rough spell, and through the mist the crawl. As the day wore on the wind dropped and the sea became calmer.

"During the swim across, the first thing that was sighted was a large liner, and shortly afterwards the party in the motor boat were able to discern the South Foreland—about 7 o'clock. The ebb tide took her westerly."

Mr. J. Fellowes, the Rotherham swimmer, took turns in the water with Mrs. Gill, and was with her when she finished at Dover.

Mr. Flower, who was also in the motor boat, went into the water as she waded ashore.

DISTRESSED ON LANDING.

When Mrs. Gill felt the beach beneath her she said, "I cannot stand," and her legs gave way. It was evident that she felt the strain of the swim and the coldness of the water considerably. She was assisted into the small boat and went on to Dover Harbour, and with the help of two of the party was at once taken to the sea bath on Dover sea front, where she had a hot bath.

Mr. Fellowes walked from the beach to the roadway in his bathing costume, and he seemed also to be greatly affected by the cold.

It was arranged for Mrs. Gill, on leaving the bath, to go to her lodgings in Sandgate road.

THE FIFTH WOMAN.

Mrs. Gill is the fifth woman to succeed in swimming the Channel. Her time of fifteen hours nine minutes is longer than that of Miss MacLellan—thirteen hours ten minutes—and that of Miss Ederle—fourteen hours thirty-nine minutes—but is better than that of Miss Gleitze—fifteen hours fifteen minutes—and of Mrs. Corson—fifteen hours twenty-eight minutes.

MISS LOGAN'S FEAT.

NEW YORK COMMENT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
NEW YORK, Thursday.

The American public, which had gradually become accustomed to regard the triumphs of its own "stars" in almost every sphere of sport as a matter of routine, especially where England was concerned, received something of a shock when it learned that a young English lady doctor had beaten Miss Ederle's swimming "record" by the considerable margin of eighty-one minutes. Although somewhat overshadowed by the excitement occasioned by Miss Elder's flight, Miss Logan's feat has attracted a great deal of attention. Big headlines in the papers all over the country have announced that Miss Ederle's record has been lowered by an Englishwoman.

Miss Ederle, when she heard the news, said: "I have sent her my congratulations. The more power to her. I hope to give her another mark to shoot at some time."

Many American sporting writers have written in a very congratulatory vein about the swim, commenting on the apparent absence of publicity, and the fact that it was undertaken as a purely sporting venture.

An additional reason for the interest taken in Miss Logan on this side of the Atlantic lies in the fact that she is a niece of Supreme Court Justice Cochrane, of Hudson, New York. Miss Logan formerly lived at Glens Falls, New York, and graduated from the High School there in 1911. She is also the niece of the late Mr. Willis Hills, who went to Glens Falls as the manager of the Hudson River Telephone Company. After leaving school Miss Logan moved to Kingston, New York, with her uncle's family, and later took up medicine, and went to London as a medical student.

FRENCH SCEPTICISM.

According to an Exchange telegram, certain French newspapers question the authenticity of Dr. Dorothy Logan's Channel swim. They say that the semaphore station at Cap Grisnez denies that any person took the water there on Monday night, and states that if any person had entered the water the boats must have seen the start. The coldness of the water is also urged as an argument against Dr. Logan's success.

When Dr. Logan's attention was called to the French comment she said :—"I can vouch absolutely—and all the independent witnesses will do the same—that I took the water at the time stated at Cap Grisnez."

MISS HUDSON TO TRY AGAIN.

Miss Millie Hudson, the Englishwoman who failed some time ago to swim the Channel, has passed through Boulogne on her way to Cap Grisnez. She will make a further effort to swim the Channel within the next few days.

PRIEST AND SLUM OWNERS.

"WHY ARE THEY NOT IN PRISON?"

The Rev. Canon Dolan, a Roman Catholic priest in Sheffield, speaking at a meeting of the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, in Sheffield yesterday, asked why persons drawing rents from houses where people were living under deplorable conditions were not imprisoned. He asserted that there were many such people in Sheffield, and that they were ordinarily regarded as decent Christians.

"We get harrowing accounts of families living under frightful conditions," he said; "but who is getting rents from such places? We never hear that."

LIVERPOOL SYSTEM OF TELEPHONE ALARMS.

Liverpool police authorities are to spend £25,000 on a new automatic fire alarm and police telephone boxes. More than 250 combined police telephones and fire alarm boxes are to be installed in the streets.

Police automatic telephone boxes will be placed on the outskirts of the city for the use, not only of the police, but of the public, in case of burglary or other crime.

TERMS OF NEXT LOAN.

STATEMENT BY MR. COSGRAVE.

SUM MAY NOT EXCEED SIX MILLIONS.

FROM JOHN STEEL.

BY THE LONDON CORRESPONDENT OF "THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE."

President Cosgrave was beaming with satisfaction over his victory in the country and the new Dail, when I called upon him yesterday morning for a talk concerning his plans for the future government of the Irish Free State and the development of the country.

He is now safe in the saddle for another five years, if he cares to stay. For the time being, at any rate, President Cosgrave plans to avoid contentious legislation, and to devote his energies to tightening up the machinery of the Government and completing the political education of the Republicans who have entered the Dail.

He is particularly pleased with the spirit shown in Wednesday's debate, and with the evident willingness of the Republican deputies to accept the facts when placed before them.

THE LOAN.

An immediate task will be the issue of a new loan, which, the President tells me, will probably not exceed five or six millions sterling, instead of ten millions, as previously suggested. This sum is all that is immediately required, in view of the fact that some works, such as the Shannon scheme and the beet sugar development, promise to become productive in the near future.

The new loan will probably be issued at 95, at 5 per cent.—the same terms as the first ten-million loan, which now stands at 96½.

It is expected that the new loan will all be taken in Ireland. This is testimony to the renewed feeling of security, consequent on the definite abandonment of force by the Republicans and their entry to the Dail.

"If I deserve any credit," said the President, "it is for forcing the Republicans to enter the Dail and take up constitutional methods. It is the best day's work I have ever done. The next step is their political education, and I am sure that a couple of years of hard parliamentary work in the Dail will alter the views of a good many of them."

TOURIST TRAFFIC PLANS.

An immediate result of the renewed stability is the development of a big plan of the Irish railways to promote touring in Ireland, appealing specially to America. This railway scheme, which is still in its earliest stages, includes the purchase or lease of a number of Irish hotels, which will be modernised on American lines, offering ample bathroom accommodation, good food and plenty of heat.

It is proposed, in conjunction with the big touring agencies, to work out a system of round tours at inclusive hotel, rail and steamship rates, covering the beauty spots and points of historical and romantic interest all over Ireland.

THE BY-ELECTION.

KEEN FIGHT IN CARLOW-KILKENNY.

On receipt of the writ for the Carlow-Kilkenny by-election, Mr. J. C. J. Murphy, the Returning Officer, yesterday fixed the following dates for nominations and polling :

Nominations ... Saturday, 22nd October.
Polling ..... Thursday, 3rd November.

So far as can be ascertained there will be only two candidates for the vacant seat, Mr. Denis J. Gorey, the Government Party's nominee, and his Fianna Fail opponent, Mr. Michael Shelly. Mr. Gorey was defeated in the general election, being eliminated on the second last count, and Mr. Shelly, who had been a Republican deputy for many years, did not seek re-election.

The contest will be an exceptionally keen one. Next Sunday both parties will hold a number of meetings. Virtually every member of the Executive Council will be in the constituency, and they will be supported by at least fifteen other members of the Government Party.

The following are the first preference votes cast in Carlow-Kilkenny at the general election :—

*Cosgrave (Govt.)	13,950
*De Loughrey (Govt.)	2,516
Gorey (Govt.)	2,541
*Derrig (F.F.)	9,891
Delaney (F.F.)	3,229
*Holohan (Farmers)	4,598
*Doyle (Labour)	4,956
Reade (Ind. Labour)	1,348

*Elected.

The quota was 7,172, and the percentage of votes polled was 63.8.

On the division of Mr. Cosgrave's surplus, Mr. de Loughrey received 3,019 votes and Mr. Gorey 1,930. The number was insufficient to put him in the running even for the last seat, for which Mr. E. Doyle, the Labour man, was elected without the quota, the next on his heels being the second Republican candidate. Following is an analysis of the first preference votes cast in September and June :—

	Sept., 1927.	June, 1927.
Government	19,007	14,987
Farmer	4,598	6,971
Independent	—	—
Total Govt. Group	23,605	21,958
Fianna Fail	13,120	10,021
Labour	4,956	8,156
National League	—	2,096
Ind. Labour	1,348	—
Total Opposition Groups	19,424	20,273

The Kilkenny Workers' Council has passed a resolution calling on the Executive of the Irish Labour Party not to nominate a candidate for Carlow-Kilkenny, but to allow the Cumann na nGaedheal and Fianna Fail Parties to have a straight fight.

THE NEW CABINET.

Yesterday Mr. Cosgrave presided at the first sitting of his new Cabinet. The members assembled at about 11.30 a.m., and continued in session for about two hours.

CONSERVATIVE PARTY ORGANISATION.

LORD STRATHCONA AS DEPUTY CHAIRMAN.

The Conservative and Unionist Central Office last night announced that Lord Strathcona had been appointed Deputy-Chairman of the party organisation.

LATE NEWS.

SOUTH AFRICAN FLAG.

EFFORTS TO OBTAIN AN AGREED DESIGN.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.
JOHANNESBURG, Thursday.

The *Johannesburg Star* is informed that the Government has approached the Opposition with a view of reaching an amicable settlement of the flag question, and that the Opposition has laid down as essential conditions to negotiations the following points :—

1—That a national flag can only be obtained by consent

2—That the flag must include adequate representation of the traditions of both races.

Official confirmation of the newspaper's statement could not be obtained, all the party leaders being either in Cape Town or on the way there for the opening of Parliament to-morrow.

It is, however, thought that the various suggestions made during the past fortnight by responsible representatives of all the political parties indicate a general desire to avoid a referendum, and, if possible, to arrive at a settlement by agreement.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
JOHANNESBURG, Thursday.

The *Rand Daily Mail* emphasises that a referendum must be avoided at all costs. The initiative, the newspaper adds, must come from the Opposition, which might propose the enlargement of the Union Jack to a reasonable size on the suggested flag, or produce a flag of their own, which would commend the support of all sections of the population.

This newspaper expresses the view that either of these two courses would be likely to provide a way out of the difficulties.

FOREIGN LOANS IN NEW YORK.

ALL OVER-SUBSCRIBED.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.
NEW YORK, Thursday.

The Prussian loan for thirty million dollars, offered here to-day at 96½, to yield 6.28 per cent., was quickly over-subscribed. A considerable part of the bonds were withdrawn for sale in the Netherlands.

The American portion of the 41,500,000 dollars Brazilian 6½ per cent. loan was offered for subscription by a large syndicate at 92½, to yield 7.10 per cent. This, too, was over-subscribed, as was an offering of 5,000,000 dollars Banca Agricola Hipotecaria of Colombia twenty-year bonds at 92, to yield 6.73 per cent.

THE CURRAGH CRISIS.

SIR HUBERT GOUGH'S LETTER.

General Sir Hubert Gough writes in a letter to *The Times* :—I shall be grateful if you will accord me space to correct some inaccuracies in the account of the Curragh crisis given in General Callwell's "Life of Sir Henry Wilson." In the first place, General Callwell states on Page 140 that when General John Gough saw General Wilson on the evening of Friday, March 20th, he was proposing to send in his papers at once, but he was persuaded by the D.M.O. to hold his hand.

This is inaccurate. It is true that this advice was pressed on him, but it was rejected. Early next morning General John Gough went to the War Office and handed his resignation, in writing, personally to the Military Secretary, General Franklin. The latter suggested keeping his resignation back till further news was received from Ireland, to which General John Gough agreed, requesting, however, that the Secretary of State and the C.I.G.S. should be informed. Next morning, after seeing me, he wrote to the Military Secretary withdrawing his first letter, but substituting for it another, which placed on record his entire agreement with the action of the officers at the Curragh, and demanded, further, that any action taken against these officers should apply equally to myself. Copies of these letters and notes written thereon in his own handwriting are in existence.

Again, the account given at the bottom of page 141 and on page 142 conveys an erroneous impression. General Callwell states that General Wilson objected absolutely to certain proposals which were under the consideration of the Secretary of State, and, further, that "Gough and he, between them, drafted a letter asking the question, whether, in the event of the bill passing, troops would be liable to be called upon to coerce Ulster in the name of law and order."

This letter was, in fact, drafted by the officers concerned, namely—my brother, Colonels Parker and MacEwen and myself. The same applies to the short note which we drew up in a War Office waiting room after I received the guarantee from the hands of Sir John French. General Callwell incorrectly attributes the joint authorship of this note to General Wilson. It is true that General Wilson came into the room at intervals and made suggestions and inquiries as to our course of action, but he accepted no responsibility for the drafting of the letter or the short note. This statement is based, not on my recollection, but on full notes made by me at the time of these occurrences, and confirmed by other notes made by my brother.

TEMPORAL POWER.

VATICAN'S CASE STATED.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.
ROME, Thursday.

For the first time since the end of the Pope's temporal power in 1870, the *Osservatore Romano*, the Vatican's official organ, prints a leading article answering the various critics of the article published in the paper on September 21st, describing the situation in which the Pope had been placed since 1870, and sets forth how the Holy See would like to solve the "Roman question."

The article says :—"We do not see why Italy cannot create the State which the Church needs for the exercise of her spiritual functions in the world. Italy alone brusquely annihilated the Papal State, destroying a condition of things which the work of centuries had established, and, therefore, she alone can reconstruct it."

The newspaper adds that such a State should be reconstructed, "not in its former proportions, but at least in the measure necessary to guarantee the visible independence of the government of souls."

Such reconstruction, it is explained, can be carried out by Italy "without committing suicide," as some people maintain, because "the tiny State which would be reconstructed could never destroy Italy." The paper goes on to deal with the duty on the part of Italy, according to moral law, to make reparation by returning what was taken from the Vatican. "If Italy one day will publicly, before the world, accomplish this act of just reparation, she will do honour to her word without the need of foreign intervention."

Evidently speaking in the name of the Holy See, the *Osservatore* concludes : "We do not invoke foreign powers nor international courts. The Holy See, as Cardinal Gasparri declared during the war, awaits the solution of the Roman question, not from foreign intervention, but from the sense of straightforwardness and justice of the Italian people. To the foreign Powers it will only be left to take note, in the usual form, of what Italy has done in accord with the Holy See."

BIG MACHINERY CONTRACT.

WORK FOR HARLAND AND WOLFF.

A big machinery order, which will take a year to execute, has been placed with Harland and Wolff, Belfast, by the Holland America Line.

The contract is for the machinery for their 3,000-ton liner Stilendam at Rotterdam.

REVOLUTIONARY SUGGESTIONS.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN THE NORTH.

3 YEARS' INQUIRY.

FREE STATE SYSTEM RECOMMENDED.

If the recommendations of the Northern Ireland Departmental Commission on Local Government Administration are adopted, the Six Counties will put into force some of the reforms which have been in existence in the Free State for several years.

The majority of the Commissioners favour the co-ordinating of many local district services and placing them on a county basis. In this connection they advocate the abolition of Poor Law Unions and Boards of Guardians, and suggest the establishment of County Homes.

Health services, they say, should be placed on a county basis under the County Councils, as the county health authority. The dissolution of the smaller rural districts and their councils is urged, but larger rural councils and urban councils should be retained as local administrative authorities.

The Commissioners are agreed that the present system of administering the County Borough of Belfast is uneconomic and cumbersome, but are undecided as to the advisability of appointing Commissioners. They believe that the system could be re-organised so as to remedy the existing faults, and suggest that the committee system might be simplified and that certain committees should be amalgamated.

It has taken the Commission over three years to collect evidence and prepare its report, which was laid on the table of the Northern House of Commons yesterday afternoon, and several members make reservations in regard to some of the findings. The recommendations cover a very wide area, and if they, or the most of them, receive the sanction of the Northern Parliament, they will revolutionise local administration in the Six Counties. Professor R. J. Johnstone, M.P., M.B., F.R.C.S., was Chairman of the Committee.

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ANOMALIES OF THE PRESENT SYSTEM.

GLARING EXAMPLES OF OVERLAPPING.

The Commissioners point out that, under the present system of providing extern treatment outside hospitals, cases may arise where three or more doctors appointed by different authorities, may be in attendance on one patient at the same time. The system of affording outdoor relief also is not free from overlapping, and there is the possibility of relief being granted in the same house by several local authorities at the same time.

There are in Northern Ireland three codes of laws relating to the treatment of blind persons, none of which permits of any co-ordination, and those respecting children present anomalies in respect of the age up to which children may be dealt with. Similar anomalies also exist in the manner in which deaf, dumb, and imbecile children may be dealt with by Boards of Guardians and County and County Borough Councils as education authorities.

The administration of the Diseases of Animals Acts and of the law relating to the supervision of dairies and cowsheds and meat and milk supply is also anomalous, the former Act being administered by County Councils, the latter being under the control of District Councils. Two officers have often to examine the same animal where, with proper co-ordination, one examination would suffice.

PREVENTION OF TUBERCULOSIS.

"There is also an anomaly regarding the administration of the Vaccination Acts. This code of laws," the Commissioners point out, "is purely a measure for the prevention of disease, and as such, it would seem, should be treated as a public health matter by the public health authority. It is, however, administered by Boards of Guardians.

"The last anomaly of a public health nature coming under our notice relates to the prevention of tuberculosis in areas other than county boroughs. In such areas the local authorities for the treatment of this disease are the County Councils. Under the Tuberculosis Prevention (Ireland) Act, 1908, however, the local authorities to whom the disease may be notified are the District Councils, and there is no machinery for bringing cases so notified under the notice of the authority concerned with treatment.

"In rural areas also two authorities deal with Class III. roads—the Rural District Councils and the County Councils. The functions of the Rural District Councils are limited to receiving, making and considering proposals and placing contracts for the upkeep of these roads. County Councils, however, are the authorities for passing such proposals and for the carrying out of any works to be done in this connection."

COMMISSIONER SYSTEM CONSIDERED.

Dealing with the Belfast Corporation, the Commissioners say the size of the

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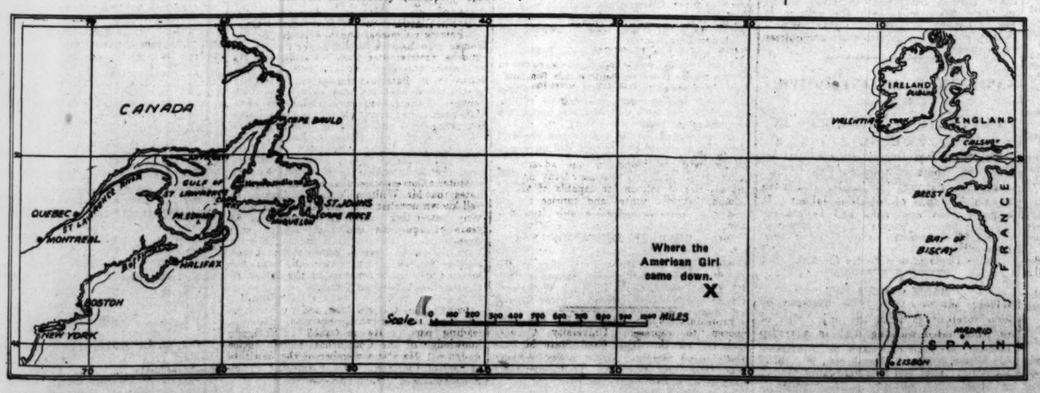

committees is such that each member of the Corporation must serve on from four to six committees, which is too heavy a tax on the time of a busy man, and must deter active and competent men from proffering their services to the community. They also condemn the system of appointment by wards. The members of the Corporation at present are overloaded with work, and any further increase, in the opinion of the Commissioners, would be likely to lead to a breakdown.

They considered (1) the possible effective reorganisation of the present system; (2) administration by Commissioners; and (3) the system of administration by burgomasters at present in force in large cities in Northern Europe generally and in many cities in America.

THE COMMISSIONER SYSTEM.

"The economy and efficiency which are stated to have been attained in the municipal administration of Dublin by the appointment of Commissioners in place of the Dublin Corporation and Boards of Guardians," says the Report, "have led to a persistent advocacy of this remedy for all the real and alleged defects of Belfast corporate administration. It is a system of which we have some experience in Northern Ireland, as the Ministry of Home Affairs, having power under the Poor Relief Acts to abolish Boards of Guardians under certain circumstances, and having also the power under the Local Government (Emergency Powers) Act, 1921, to dissolve any other local authority if it has refused or failed or is unable to perform all or any of the duties imposed on it by or in pursuance of any Statute or of any order or direction issued or given by the Ministry in pursuance of any Statute, abolished various local authorities who refused to recognise the Government of Northern Ireland in the first years of its existence. In most instances we believe that such appointments led to increased economy and efficiency, but the experiment was only a temporary expedient, and it must be pointed out that, while a saving in rates may be effected, it is held that the ultimate result of such a method of administration would tend to diminish public interest in local government, an interest which recent legislation has consistently endeavoured to foster.

THE PUBLIC'S PREDILECTIONS.

"While in this democratic age it would be difficult to induce the public to agree to the abolition of elected bodies, and to their replacement in local government by Commissioners, it is possible that occasions may arise where such a course may be advisable as a temporary expedient to get rid of an inefficient or corrupt elect body. To provide for such an emergency, we suggest that powers might be given to the Ministry of Home Affairs to hold a sworn inquiry into the conduct of the body in question, and, if the allegations of incompetence or corruption were proved, to dissolve the body and to appoint a Commissioner or Commissioners for a period of not less than three years. Such an inquiry might be initiated on a report from an inspector of the Ministry, a petition from the local authority, or a memorial from a substantial number of ratepayers, if the Ministry decide, after considering the report or petition, that a *prima facie* case has been made out.

THE BURGOMASTER METHOD.

"The merits and otherwise of the Burgomaster system, in which the entire administration devolves upon a small number of whole-time paid officials, say, from three to five, are discussed. It is already in practice, with modifications, over a great extent of Northern Europe, in Germany, in Scandinavia, and in various parts of America, but it has never been introduced into the United Kingdom. The main advantage is that a system of undivided and personal control of administration is established. As a corollary, the load of committee work on members of the municipal council is reduced to a minimum. At the same time, an effective stimulus or check is provided for the activities of the administrative officers. On the other hand, popular control in details is largely done away with, and the affairs of the community are in the hands of officials. Should these prove to be incompetent or inefficient, valuable time may be lost and considerable expense incurred before they can be deprived of office. Great as may be the advantages of Burgomaster administration, we are of opinion that it would not be a suitable form of local government to introduce in Belfast, as it entails government, for the most part, by officials, and as such is open to the same objections as administration by Commissioners.

EFFORT TO REORGANISE THE CORPORATION.

"If there is a case for the appointment of Commissioners to carry out the functions of the Belfast Corporation," continues the report, "we have already provided the machinery for their appointment. We have not, however, had sufficient evidence placed before us to decide whether or not the adoption of this course would be necessary in Belfast, and we are of opinion that a decision in this matter could not be arrived at without holding a sworn inquiry into the whole working of the Corporation. We are also of opinion that the present system could be reorganised so as to remedy the existing faults and ensure economic and efficient local government administration within the county borough area."

In their findings the Commissioners say:—

That the present system of administration by the Belfast Corporation is cumbersome and uneconomic.

That the principle of appointing Commissioners to take the place of an elected local authority is undesirable save as a temporary measure, but that power be given to the Ministry of Home Affairs to dissolve any local authority and appoint Commissioners should it be proved that the local authority was inefficient or corrupt.

That the system of "burgomaster administration" in force in many large cities on the Continent and in the United States of America would not be suitable to introduce into Belfast.

That the present system should be reorganised by reduction of the numbers of committees, and by the establishment of the principle of a greater measure of authority being vested in the chief officers of the Corporation.

SUMMARY OF OTHER FINDINGS.

POOR RELIEF: THE DEAF, DUMB AND BLIND.

All relief, whether indoor or outdoor, should be given by way of loan, the Public Assistance Committee having power, in cases where a person, having been in receipt of such relief, is found to have been in possession of property, to recover the amount spent in affording such relief from him or his estate, in the event of his death, the statute of limitations not to apply.

The aged and infirm should get better treatment than other workhouse inmates generally.

All children, wherever possible, should be boarded out.

A Committee of Inquiry should be set up to inquire into the question of Lunacy Reform.

Sane Epileptics, Mentally Defective Children and Adults—One institution for the whole of Northern Ireland should be set apart for these classes. Each class should be segregated. A disused workhouse with land attached might be used for this purpose.

Deaf, Dumb, and Blind Persons—Anomalies which are in existence owing to there being three codes of laws dealing with this subject should be removed, and the limitation of 5s. per week at present payable by Boards of Guardians in respect of the maintenance of adult persons should be removed if and where Boards of Guardians are retained.

MEDICAL AND HEALTH SERVICES.

That the local health services, including intern medical treatment (exclusive of care of the insane), extern medical treatment, public health and housing, be co-ordinated on a county basis, under the supervision and control of county authorities in such a manner that the community will have the benefit of a uniform system of administration, at the same time, as far as possible, leaving the local administration in the hands of local bodies.

That the Council of each county shall be the county health authority.

That the local management of hospitals and infirmaries should not be in the hands of the

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STEAMER'S BATTLE WITH GALE.

THREE MEN WASHED OVERBOARD.

The American steamship Antinous (10,000 tons), bearing visible signs of her seventy-two hours' struggle with an Atlantic gale, entered the Surrey Commercial Docks yesterday.

A wave said to be over 200 feet high, carried overboard and drowned three of her crew, and a fourth member had his leg broken.

The captain's launch, two of the lifeboats, and the fore part of the bridge were washed away in the gale, the booms were smashed, and the rails to starboard and around the bridge were hopelessly damaged.

Captain Duncan Stuart and his crew yesterday bore traces of their battle with the gale.

Members of the crew were loud in their praises of the skipper. "He worked like a Trojan," said one. "For three days he stayed out in the gale, keeping us going and seeing that everything was right. He nearly broke his heart when the bosun and the two men went overboard. It was an awful blow; for we had weathered the worst of it by then."

According to William Oldham, A.B., who saw the accident, the bosun, Otto Rebhen, and two seamen—James Roykin and Eric Carlson—were busy plugging ventilators to prevent water from getting to the grain cargo, when a huge wave broke over the side. The bosun clung to a piece of timber, but, although efforts were made to rescue him, the seas were so high that a boat could not be launched, and his comrades saw him washed off the timber.

The Antinous left Mobile, Alabama, on September 14, with a deck cargo of timber and grain. When seven days out she ran into the gale. When she docked yesterday officials of the Mobile Oceanic Steamship Company, the owners, came to congratulate Captain Stuart and his crew upon their seamanship.

THE LATE LORD IVEAGH.

DUBLIN PORT BOARD'S SYMPATHY.

At a meeting of the Dublin Port and Docks Board yesterday the Chairman (Mr. R. McCullagh) said that it was only meet that some reference should be made by the Board to the death of the Earl of Iveagh. The Board, by reason of the port traffic, had been long associated with the company of which the Earl of Iveagh had been chairman. They were all aware of his abounding liberality, evidenced in various directions, such as improved dwellings, public parks, etc., in the city.

The Chairman then moved that the Board record its regret at the death of Lord Iveagh, and that its very deepest sympathy be conveyed to his family.

Mr. William Field, seconding the motion, said that, as a member for St. Patrick's Division, he had come in close touch with Lord Iveagh's benefactions to the city, and he thought it only fit and proper to convey their vote of appreciation and regret to his family.

The motion was passed in silence, all the members standing.

At the Memorial Service for the late Lord Iveagh held in St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin, on Wednesday, Senator S. L. Brown, K.C., represented the Governor-General of the Irish Free State, and Mr. Cosgrave, President of the Executive Council, was represented by Senator the Right Hon. Andrew Jameson.

Among those present at the Memorial Service were the Hon. Mrs. B. J. Plunket (niece), Mr. David P. C. Plunket and Miss Hester Plunket (grand-nephew and grand-niece).

The Dublin Boy Scouts' Association was represented by Mr. H. Pack-Beresford, Assistant Commissioner, and Mr. E. G. Glanville, District Scoutmaster.

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authorities whose function is the affording of relief to the destitute poor, but under the control of committees specially appointed for the purpose.

Private or semi-private wards should be provided in district hospitals for patients willing to pay special fees. These patients should have the choice of doctor.

That a County Nursing Service be established in each county, based on the County Hospital where such a hospital is established.

That the system of affording extern medical relief under the Medical Charities Act be continued.

That the system requires more local supervision than it receives at present. To bring this about local dispensary committees should be set up in each district, and county health committees should act through these committees.

That the dispensary system should be extended so as to enable persons able to pay reduced fees only to obtain medical treatment.

That medical benefits under the National Insurance Acts be not introduced in Northern Ireland.

That domiciliary treatment of advanced tuberculosis should be discouraged, and, as far as possible, institutional treatment provided as an alternative.

That urban and rural district councils be retained as local administrative authorities for public health purposes.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS.

That in each county there should be a county veterinary officer of health, under the county medical officer of health, who should be responsible for the supervision of the Diseases of Animals Act, and the Dairies, Cowsheds and Milkshops Order, and the Public Health Acts in as far as they relate to milk and meat supply.

That all slaughterhouses be registered with the local authority in whose area the premises are situated.

That it be made mandatory on all district councils to inspect all slaughter-houses in their respective areas.

That the slaughter of all animals whose meat is intended for human consumption be carried out in registered slaughter-houses.

That in the interests of public health, and of the producer, the practice of selling pigs on foot should be encouraged, instead of the customary dead pork trade.

That inspection of pork be carried out at markets and curing establishments until such time as all animals are slaughtered in public slaughter-houses.

That the provisions of the Dairies, Cowsheds and Milkshops Order be extended to embrace all cowkeepers, whether they intend to offer milk for sale for human consumption or not, and that all milk and milk products be prohibited from entering Northern Ireland unless produced under as good conditions and subject to similar regulations as those imposed on citizens of Northern Ireland.

That the Order be extended to embrace all milk products.

LONDONDERRY AND BELFAST.

That the Londonderry Board of Guardians be abolished.

That Londonderry County Borough form an administrative unit for poor relief purposes.

That Londonderry County Borough Council unite with the neighbouring County Councils in the establishment of a County Home.

That it would not be feasible to transfer the functions of the Belfast Board of Guardians to the Belfast Corporation.

That the Belfast County Borough Public Assistance Board, elected in the same manner as the County Borough members of the Belfast Board of Guardians, be the authority to administer the Poor Relief Acts in the City of Belfast.

That the poor relief and medical relief be separated, but that owing to the extra cost which complete separation would entail, the Belfast Union Infirmary be constituted a District Hospital under Section 90 of the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898, to be called the Belfast County Borough Hospital, and that the Belfast Workhouse be retained as the Belfast County Borough Home.

A "FURNISHED" HOUSE.

EVADING THE LAW IN BELFAST.

BILL TO CHECK AN ABUSE.

In moving the second reading, in the Northern Parliament yesterday, of the Rent and Mortgage Interest Restrictions (Amendment) Bill, the Minister of Home Affairs said that the object was to cope with two abuses. At the present time a furnished house was outside the operation of the Act, and in consequence of this exemption unscrupulous landlords—and the vast majority in Belfast were not unscrupulous—were in the habit of putting a few sticks of furniture, sometimes one bed and a table, or even less, into a house and letting it as a furnished dwelling. This was an obvious evasion of the provisions of the Act, and clearly one that should be made right. Accordingly, it was proposed to enact that the house shall not be regarded as a furnished house unless it was let with all such furniture, other than plate, cutlery, linen and culinary utensils, as was reasonably required, having regard to the character of the house which it was proposed to let as a furnished one. In other words, it must be a *bona-fide* furnished house.

The second abuse was one dealing with the one-house owner.

Mr. Beattie said that a landlord could furnish a house under the bill for £5. The bill would not stop the "profiteering" in furnished houses.

Mr. Hanna, Parliamentary Secretary, said that the Government would be willing to consider any amendment to more effectively carry out the principle which the Government had laid down.

The bill was read a second time, and the House adjourned until Tuesday.

NEW HOUSING BILL.

Moving a bill to amend the existing Housing Act, Sir Dawson Bates, Minister for Home Affairs, explained that it provided to increase the Government grants, and otherwise continue the operations of the Housing Act which expired on March 31st next for a further year. Under the present Act grants were made in respect of houses of a maximum area of 950 superficial feet and a minimum of 500 superficial feet. Since 1924 8,217 of these houses were built, or were in course of erection, or were contemplated, and many of them approached the maximum. The Government felt that the greater need was now for smaller houses, and the bill proposed that no subsidy should be granted after next March to houses exceeding 650 superficial feet, and to increase the subsidy in the case of houses between 500 and 650 superficial feet. The proposal was that the subsidy should be £80, and this would be increased to £100 provided that the house was built within six months. The new scale would be in operation until 31st March, 1930.

THE RENTS.

Mr S. Kyle (Labour) complained that the Minister had not given any information as to the serious housing shortage in Belfast, which the bill was intended in some way to alleviate. He contended that the type of houses proposed to be subsidised was lower than the standard set by the British Government. There were six millions invested in Belfast savings banks at 2½ per cent., and if the Government put their money into it they or authorities at 3 per cent., there would be a reduction of 3s. 3d. per week in the rent of houses. This would enable the workers of Belfast to get houses in the city at from 4s. to 5s. a week rent.

Colonel Woods said that it was an extraordinary thing that no stipulation was made by the Government as to the class of material to be built in the subsidised houses, as foreign-made baths, plumbing work, etc., were being largely used. They were subsidising foreign manufacturers.

THE BRITISH LEGION SCHEME.

Major Shillington said that if the Act passed in its present form Northern Ireland might lose a scheme which was being proposed by the British Legion. They were giving grants of £5,000 to certain areas for the erection of houses for disabled and aged ex-Service men. Belfast might lose this if equal opportunities were not afforded, and he suggested that the Minister should meet a deputation and discuss the matter.

THE SLUM AREAS.

Mr. Joseph Devlin said that they had lost sight of the one fact that ought to be the chief purpose of all housing schemes—the clearing away of slums of a certain city. They were really only perpetuating the slum system by subsidising houses as they were doing. People were leaving bad houses and going into new ones, and the worse houses were finding new tenants. No Government—the British, the Free State, or the Northern Ireland Government—would ever solve this problem by subsidies. They would have to make some sacrifices to clear away slum houses.

Mr. Hanna, replying to the debate, said that the bill furnished a method by which thrifty people might become the owners of their homes.

The second reading was passed without a division.

LOUGH NEAGH FISHING.

The Minister of Commerce, Mr. J. Milne Barbour, replying to Mr. Devlin, said that his attention had been called to Press reports of a meeting at Ardboe on 8th September, addressed by members of the Northern Parliament of divergent political views, when a resolution was adopted calling upon the Prime Minister and Government of Northern Ireland to introduce in the present session new legislation to restore to the fishermen of Lough Neagh the fishing rights, which the Privy Council declared void, and which for many generations. The property in the Lough Neagh fisheries formed the subject of an action, which was ultimately carried to the House of Lords. No question as to the validity of the decision given by the highest legal tribunal of the country could be raised either in that House or elsewhere. It was not proposed to introduce legislation on the subject, but he was prepared to invite a conference of all interests concerned with a view, if possible, to ascertain whether any common agreement could be arrived at.

Mr. Devlin said that had it not been for the latter part of the reply he would have proceeded to introduce legislation himself, but if agreement could be reached by a conference, it would be more desirable. He asked when it was proposed to call this conference.

The Minister of Commerce—At the earliest convenience of the different parties who are to be brought together.

Mr. William McMullen (Labour)—Is the Minister aware that, in the opinion of the most eminent authority in Ireland, Mr. T. M. Healy, that the waters of Lough Neagh have been stolen from the common people? (Laughter.) I would suggest to the Minister that he should read the book "Stolen Waters."

Mr. Devlin—If he has not read it I will send him a copy of it.

PROPORTIONAL REPRESENTATION.

The Minister of Home Affairs, replying to Mr. Devlin, said that it was the intention of the Government before the term of office of the present Parliament expired to introduce legislation abolishing the principle of proportional representation in so far as it applies to the election of members to the House of Commons in Northern Ireland, and to re-establish the former principle of election on the basis of single member constituencies. In view of the undertaken given by the Prime Minister in the House on Wednesday to allocate a day for discussion, it would be out of place to enter into details at present.

Mr. Devlin asked if the Prime Minister or some other Minister, when the discussion took place, would state what would be the character of the constituencies. Would he recite to the House details of the constituencies which are to take the place of the present constituencies?

Sir Dawson Bates—That will be a matter that will appear when the bill is introduced.

Mr. Wm. M'Mullan (Labour) asked if the Minister had seen a deputation from the Shankill Unionist Association to settle the boundary of West Belfast. (Laughter.)

Mr. Devlin—What I want to know is, when the discussion takes place upon the alternative method of carrying on elections, will we have before us the names of the constituencies and the details?

Sir Dawson Bates—No, sir; not until the redistribution scheme is brought into the House.

Mr. Kyle—May we take it that the Government is about to rig the constituencies of Northern Ireland?

No answer was returned.

The price quoted at yesterday's fat pig market in Tipperary was 68s. per cwt., an increase of 1s. on last week's quotations.

FINANCES OF FREE STATE.

MAY BECOME CREDITOR COUNTRY.

The Monthly Review of the Midland Bank contains a long article on "Free State Trade and Currency," which deserves careful study. The writer arrives at the conclusion that "the Free State may with the passage of years become a creditor, rather than a debtor, country on her international balance of payments."

He deals first with the adverse trade balance for the years 1924-5-6. Taking the fact that at the end of August last the adverse figure stood at £12½ millions, he says that in the twin facts—the persistence of a large import surplus and the decline in the Free State's principal exports—there would appear on the surface to be ample food for thought by those most anxiously concerned about the country's material welfare.

He goes on to find out how the merchandise import surplus has been paid for. "A year and a half ago some official estimates of invisible imports and exports were published in the *Irish Trade Journal*. These applied to the year to March 31, 1925, and a table has been constructed on the basis of the published figures, together with statistics for the year 1925-26, furnished by the courtesy of a Government Department, and with unofficial estimates for 1926-27."

The principal item among the invisible exports is the income received from investments abroad, which, even when allowance is made for the payments on foreign-owned Irish investments, is sufficient to cover nearly half the import surplus on merchandise account. Emigrants' remittances and pensions, payable in one direction by the British Government in respect of war services and in the other by the Free State Government to ex-constables,provide further substantial sums. Against these and sundry minor items susceptible of estimate or determination must be set Irish payments abroad in respect of land purchase annuities. Altogether these items yield a credit surplus of £8 to £9 millions, a figure which, according to the *Irish Trade Journal* may be somewhat below the truth.

INVESTMENT HOLDINGS.

There is still, however, a debit balance, unofficially estimated, in 1927 of £10.3 millions covered by other invisible items and capital transactions.

The writer assumes that this may have been covered in a wide variety of ways, such as substantial sales of Irish-held investments. The figures in the banks, it is true, show a considerable decline in investment holdings since the end of 1924, and it would appear unlikely that the purchasers of the securities disposed of were resident in the Free State. Secondly, some investment of external funds in the Free State may have taken place during this period. Private investment, taking the form of the erection of factories or establishment of branches in the Free State by externally owned and controlled business undertakings, must also be reckoned with under this heading.

It would not appear likely, however, that transactions of this kind have reached very large dimensions. Passing from funded to short-term capital movements, it may be that credits extended by banks and business houses in Great Britain, Northern Ireland and elsewhere to Free State customers have grown relatively to the amount of accommodation granted in the other direction. Furthermore, Irish-owned deposits in British and other banks may have fallen off in comparison with externally-owned balances in Free State banks. On this question it would be imprudent to hazard even the most tentative guess, and on the basis of the available material all that can be said is that the Free State would appear to have sold assets or borrowed abroad to a not inconsiderable extent during the three years to March, 1927.

This fact may or may not be sufficient cause for disquietude. Many countries have borrowed heavily in the course of their history and have arrived at their present stage of economic development largely with the aid of external loans. Whether the process of borrowing is good or ill, from the national point of view, depends on the purpose to which the proceeds are applied. If expended in the acquisition of reproductive assets or on schemes of development which, in a broad sense, yield a return more than sufficient to cover interest and sinking fund payments, then clearly the initial borrowing has given cause for complete satisfaction. If, on the other hand, the proceeds of the loan are swallowed up in current consumption, the transaction has imposed a fresh burden on the country without adding in any way to its resources.

THE NEW CURRENCY SYSTEM.

Dealing with the bearing of the adverse trade balance on the change in the currency, the writer says:—

These considerations give added interest to the new currency system now being inaugurated in the Free State, for the scheme can only stand the test of time provided that the country's balance of payments is maintained in equilibrium without the aid of borrowing or sales of assets for purposes of pure and immediate consumption.

As the Irish pound is firmly tied up with the British, the trend of Irish prices must follow the British, and, therefore, the world, level fairly closely. For if Irish prices rise disproportionately to British, the demands for sterling to meet payments from the Free State into Britain will tend to expand; larger quantities of London funds will have to be procured, and on balance notes will be paid in for that purpose. Thus contraction will set in in the Free State and prices be pulled down.

On the other hand, if Irish prices are unduly depressed, sterling balances will tend to accumulate, and the desire to convert these into Irish funds will involve an expansion of note issue, making for an upward adjustment of the price level. The system will be much the same in essence as that by which the price level in Manchester is kept in harmony with that operative in Bristol, and by which it is rendered impossible for inflation to occur in Glasgow and not in London.

Technically, however, the Irish Free State will be on a special form of sterling exchange standard, and, as long as the system operates and convertibility is maintained, the Irish pound can move neither to a premium nor to a discount in terms of sterling. It can do so only if the issue of notes against sterling, on the one hand, or the convertibility of the currency notes, on the other, is suspended.

A CREDITOR.

Now, from this it follows that sooner or later the price level in the Irish Free State must conform to the British, if it has not already done so. It is difficult to find evidence on this point, the only available Free State index being that for the cost of living, which is slightly higher than the British. Consequently some measure of deflation may perhaps take place in Ireland.

When this has been accomplished, if indeed it is necessary at all, it will be safe to leave the balance of payments to take care of itself, for convertibility of the note issue cannot be maintained indefinitely side by side with continuous and heavy external borrowing for the purpose of current consumption.

Some continuance of external borrowing may be necessary for a considerable time to come, but there is nothing inherently damaging in that process of itself, and, provided the funds be economically utilised, there would appear to be no reason why current incomings should not in course of time be sufficient, or even more than enough, to cover current outgoings. In other words, the Free State may, with the passage of years, become a creditor, rather than a debtor, country on her international balance of payments.

POISONED MILCH COWS.

LAND DIVISION TROUBLES IN LOUTH.

Claiming £75 at Dundalk Circuit Court for the poisoning of three milch cows, Bernard Ward, Bollos, Kilsaran, stated in his evidence that he had got some land from the Land Commission for which there had been a great many applicants, and he believed that his animals were poisoned because of spite held against him owing to his successful application.

Judge Doyle gave a decree for £60.

BANK CLERKSHIPS.

Since Jany., 1921, 430 Students of SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, were successful at Bank exams., viz.—National, 165; Hibernian, 70; Munster and Leinster, 70; Bank of Ireland, 59; Provincial, 43; Ulster, Northern, Royal etc., 25. BEST RESULT. Oral and Correspondence Classes. —(Advt.)

BOOM IN BRITISH MOTOR CARS.

11 FIRMS SELL YEAR'S OUTPUT.

POOR ATTENDANCE ON SHOW'S FIRST DAY.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Thursday.

A gold-plated chassis may have been the most spectacular exhibit at Olympia to-day, but it did not prevent crowds from collecting around the stands containing cars of a more workaday description.

The attendance at this year's Motor Show, it is estimated, will be about 300,000, and if to-day's number—7,227—is below the average for each of the nine days the Exhibition is to remain open, the explanation is supplied by the fact that the charge for admission to-day was ten shillings, whereas on Fridays and Saturdays it is only half-a-crown, with a charge of five shillings on the other days.

That many of the people who paid ten shillings had other money to spend is shown by the business transacted during the day. One British firm sold its complete output in half an hour. Production for the 1928 season had been planned at 3,500, and the agents of the firm booked the entire supply. It may be mentioned that the car referred to is of 14 h.p., with six cylinders.

FAMILY CARS POPULAR.

Apart from business between manufacturers and the various agents throughout England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales, quite an appreciable amount of buying was done by private motorists. Attention was particularly paid to the moderate-sized models, and family cars showed continued popularity.

Although most cars are now supplied with equipment of the most complete description, some hundreds of stands at Olympia are devoted to various fittings, so that the wishes of the most exacting motorist can be supplied.

The new models are mainly of the six-cylinder variety, and some excellent examples of British, Continental and American workmanship are on view. Not all the new cars, however, have six cylinders; for there are several entirely new cars of low horse-power, but with capacious bodies fitted with four-cylinder engines, and two of them promise to prove very popular, judging by the amount of attention they attracted on the opening day.

SALES BEFORE THE SHOW.

Even before the Show very large contracts were entered into. It is expected that last year's figure of £50,000,000 worth of orders will be beaten this year by British cars alone.

The largest British manufacturer has arranged for the production of more than 80,000 cars, valued at £16,000,000. One distributor has committed himself to contracts for £6,000,000 worth of cars, and another, whose area covers London and the home counties, has agreed to take £3,000,000 worth of one particular make.

In addition to the firm mentioned who sold their whole output in half-an-hour, ten manufacturers in the Midlands have sold the whole of their year's output. Export orders are flowing in.

WOMAN THE BARRIER.

MISSIONARY DIFFICULTIES IN MAHOMMEDAN LANDS.

"You might make all the men Christians, but unless you get the women you will not get the country Christianised," the Archbishop of Dublin said yesterday when presiding at a meeting of the Hibernian Auxiliary of the Church of England Zenana Missionary Society in the Dawson Hall, Dublin. His subject was the position of women and girls in Mahommedan lands, and he expressed great pleasure at the large number of young girls present.

"Women in those lands," he said, "are to a very large extent, slaves, or, if that is too strong a word, they are kept in a state of imprisonment or confinement. Women there are the down-trodden half of humanity, the lower portion of God's creation; that is the view of the Mahommedans. When you recognise that fact you must also recognise that the effect that woman produces in those lands is very marked. The country is particularly stagnant, particularly conservative; it is very hard to get things to move in regard to the advance of Christianity. Until you make the women Christian you cannot make the country Christian. The Christianisation of Mahommedan lands proceeds to a large extent, on the women missionaries who can go into the women's quarters. Unless there are Christian women there cannot be Christian marriages or homes for Christian children."

Miss Graham, of Krishnagar, Bengal, said that since her return home on furlough she had addressed over a hundred meetings, but until that day had not seen so many girls at any of them. There was much work to be done at home by those who could not go to the mission field. The need for recruits for India was very great, and unless women doctors and nurses went out there women patients had no proper medical attention.

Miss McCurry, who has worked for thirteen years in the Anglo-Chinese School at Foo-Chow, gave an account of her work there among the daughters of the wealthy Chinese and of officials.

Canon Lewis-Crosby presided at a meeting at night, when an address was given by Miss Mary Darley, who has worked in the Chinese mission field for thirty years. At the time of the outbreak of trouble in China, when Miss Darley and her fellow-workers had to leave Kienning at two days' notice, the Chinese Christians who had belonged to the mission came forward and undertook to carry on all the work the missionaries had to give up, and up to the present time, Miss Darley said, that work was going on under the supervision of these native Christians.

DEATH SENTENCE ON YOUNG IRISHWOMAN.

A young Irishwoman was sentenced to death at the Old Bailey, London, yesterday, for the murder of her five weeks' old child. She was Mary O'Donoghue, a single woman, aged 24, who was a waitress at an hotel in Fairstock place, West London, when the child was born.

She was taken to St. Pancras Infirmary, and on coming out she rented a room in Euston road. Some time afterwards the landlady became suspicious, and O'Donoghue's room was broken open. The body of her baby, strangled with a napkin, was found in a box under her bed.

It was alleged that in a statement she said she killed the child because she had no money and no one to look after him.

The jury recommended her to mercy, and the Judge said that it would be forwarded to the Home Secretary.

PIGS IN DEMAND.

There was keen demand for pigs at the Carrick-on-Shannon pig fair, buyers attending from Dublin, Cork, Limerick Waterford, Cavan and Northern Ireland. Prices showed an advance, and the steady clearance of the fair is taken as an indication that still further improvement in the prices for pigs will be shown. Light bigs made 70s. per cwt. (dead weight), while heavy porkers made 65s. and upwards. Young bonhafia sold at £3 and upwards per pair.

EMIGRATION FROM LEITRIM.

LIVING ON MONEY FROM AMERICA.

In his report to the Leitrim County Board of Health, the Superintendent, Home Assistance Office, reported:—The tide of emigration that set in five years ago has practically drained the county of the youth between the ages of 18 and 30 years. Whole families have left. In other cases the husband has gone, and left his wife and family behind. In quite a lot of cases the wife has gone to America to earn, and has left husband and children to shuffle along at home. Years ago we sympathised with the hard lot of emigrants forced to leave their native land; now we congratulate those who are fortunate enough to get away, and the sympathy is for those left behind.

One result of this emigration is that the land is neglected and is fast returning to a wild and useless state. Those of the population left behind are not fit to till the land, and what ground is under crop is mostly some kind and tender bit of meadow near the house, where crops can be put in with a minimum of labour. Drains are clogged, farms waterlogged, grass sour, and we glibly talk of improving the breed of cattle.

MONEY FROM AMERICA.

The average Leitrim farmer is depending for a livelihood on the money sent home to him from his relatives in America. If he has sons or daughters in America helping him out, he manages to scrape along; if he has not he is in a bad state. This will be all right when America is booming, but let there be a period of depression in trade, with consequent unemployment and stoppage of the flow of money across the Atlantic, and imagine what is going to happen.

Most of the food consumed in farmhouses is foreign food. Tea and bread is now the staple food of the farmers' families, varied now and again by making it bread and tea. In 95 per cent. of the farmers' homes no meat is used. Where they use meat it is American, Canadian or Chinese bacon, and the marvel of it is that they will tell you it is better than Irish—"there is more dip in it."

Listen to the farmer telling how he is robbed paying rates for the upkeep of the roads. What is destroying the roads? Is it not lorries bringing in bakers' bread and foreign bread from places outside the county! In a little town served by the railway one can count sixteen bread vans weekly. The road-side shop and the shop on wheels have brought the loaf to the farmer's door. At the present rate of progress we shall soon see delicatessen shops in every village and kitchens on wheels on every by-road, and, of course, to find out the will of the people we shall have a referendum or election to see in what order or rotation the meals will be served. Glib-tongued shop-keepers will entreat the farmer to give his first preference to "hot dogs and sour kraut," "goulash," "burgers," "chop suey," "hard tack," and "canned willy."

A LEITRIM BURIAL.

In olden times we heard that the Gael supplemented all his prayers to God by the petition that he might find death in Erinn. When his descendant—the little farmer on the Leitrim hillside—dies, what happens? He is washed and lathered with Sunlight soap, shaved with a German hollow ground, clothed in a shroud manufactured in Manchester, a crucifix and Rosary from Italy are put in his hands, the coffin, "of polished Irish oak, handsomely mounted," is camouflaged Norwegian fir, and the mountings are either Cornwall tin or German nickel; he is lowered into the grave with a rope brought from India, and the shovel that places the clod over his remains is made in Canada. In fact, the one 100 per cent. pure native and genuine article—Irish and proud of it—is the Irish worm. When will these people learn that there are worse places than Leitrim; that contentment is a greater gift than riches?

The report was approved.

INSANITY IN FAMILY.

CO. TYRONE RAZOR ATTACK: DEATH OF BROTHER.

Thomas O'Donnell, aged about 60, of Ballinatlibert, about seven miles from Omagh, who was found in the kitchen with his throat cut on Wednesday morning, died in the Tyrone County Hospital yesterday. He lived on a lonely farmstead with his two sisters, Annie and Bridget O'Donnell, aged from 50 to 60 years, who were found dead, in their night attire, in a laneway near the house, their bodies bearing terrible wounds inflicted by a razor, which was found nearby.

At the inquest on the sisters, as already stated in the *Irish Times*, the jury returned a verdict that they died from hemorrhage and shock, the result of wounds to the throat.

Yesterday an inquest was held on Thomas O'Donnell, when it was stated that a brother of the deceased had been in an asylum for over twenty years, and that a cousin had died in an asylum. A sister of the deceased was in an asylum in America. There was no family connected with them which had not some trace of insanity. Thomas O'Donnell was always worrying about hunger and poverty.

Dr. McCauley, house surgeon of Tyrone County Hospital, said that Thomas O'Donnell made the following statement to him:—"I want to die. It is all over now; everything is scattered. My poor sisters; what came over me, anyway? Why did I do it? They were very good to me, and would not let the wind blow on me if they thought it would hurt me."

The witness asked the deceased man did he know what had happened, and Thomas O'Donnell replied that at about 2 o'clock on Wednesday morning his head was "in a bad way," as he had not slept any for the previous fortnight. He got up and got a razor, and went to where his sisters were lying. When they saw him they got up and struggled with him, which made him worse. They fled from the house, and he followed them down the lane, but he could not remember any more.

Dr. McCauley added that death was due to shock and hæmorrhage, following the wounds.

A verdict in accordance with the medical evidence was returned, the jury stating that the wounds were self-inflicted while temporarily insane, and that they were of opinion that the deceased man killed his sisters while in this insane state.

BETTING LOSSES

DEBTOR'S PLEA IN COURT.

Admitting betting losses at Newcastle Bankruptcy Court yesterday, a haulage contractor claimed that his bets on horse-racing were an investment to increase capital.

"It is gambling, isn't it?" said the official receiver. "It is legal gambling, so it must be an investment," argued the debtor. He added that he was induced to have final "flutters" because he was given a certainty.

"And the certainty came in last?" suggested the registrar, to which the debtor assented.

"THE CHURCH UNCONQUERABLE."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The Rev. Owen F. Dudley, in his lecture before the Catholic Truth Society, is reported to have said that "but for the lusts of Luther and Henry VIII., and their followers, it is questionable whether the tragedy of the Reformation would ever have come about." Father Dudley refrained to mention that, when the Reformation was brewing in England and Germany, the Papal See was occupied by Rodrigo Borgia, who assumed the title, Alexander VI. An impartial reader of history must acknowledge that the Reformation in the first instance was a protest against the moral corruption which made it possible for a Borgia to become crowned head of the Catholic Church. We hear this protest in Wyclif, in Savonarola, whom Pope Alexander condemned to be burned as a heretic, and in Luther's crusade against indulgences. I ask Father Dudley which, after all, was the better Catholic—Savonarola or the father of Caesar Borgia?—Yours, etc.,

"IOTA."

Co. Dublin, October 13th, 1927.

BRITISH Motor Cycle GRAND PRIX, run over a special course at Brooklands on Saturday. All five Classes were won by users of Wakefield CASTROL Motor Oil—the unanimous choice of the experts.—(Advt.)

U.S. MARKETS.

VIOLENT ADVANCE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Thursday.

Stocks opened firm. Bullish operations were temporarily curtailed when liquidation and bear pressure commenced in several Industrials, notably Hudson Motors and Greene Cananea Copper, but when this selling "dried up" the forward movement was resumed, with great violence in many instances. The success of pool operations in Specialities encouraged constructive operations in the recognised leaders, the most noticeable being General Motors, American Smelting and Refining; and U.S. Steel, American Machine and Foundry jumped 26 points, Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis 14, U.S. Cast Iron Pipe 8, Russia Insurance 7½, R. H. Macy 7, Abraham Strauss 7½, and Colorado Fuel and Iron and Houston Oil 5. Railroads were bought on the prospective large increase in the earnings in the latter months of the year, and other issues purchased in anticipation of a brisk upturn in general business. The market closed strong. Government Bonds irregular; Railroad Bonds quiet. The day's sales totalled 1,747,000 shares.

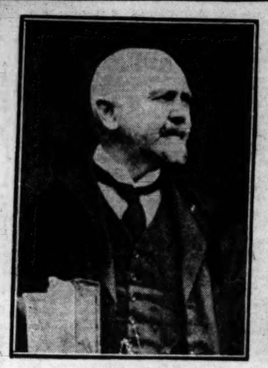
	Thur.	Tues.
Call Money	4½ 4¼	4½ 4¼
Exchange on Lon.—60 days sight	4.82⅝	4.82⅞
Do do Demand Bills	4.86⅛	4.86⅜
Cable Transfers	4.87⅛	4.86⅞
Do Montreal	4.86⅞	4.86⅝
Exchange Paris cable	3.92⅝	3.92⅞

Eng. Parity.	STOCKS.	Thur.	Tues.
195⅛	Atchison, Topeka, Santa Fe	190	188½
104⅛	Do. Pref.	102	102½
128⅛	Baltimore and Ohio	122	122
206⅜	Canadian Pacific	195⅝	194½
18½	Chicago, Milwaukee, & St. Paul	18	17⅞
96⅜	Chicago and North West.	94	93⅞

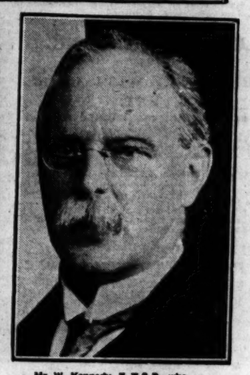
ATLANTIC FLIERS SAFE: TWO CENTENARIANS.

Miss Ruth Elder's machine American Girl.

Miss Ruth Elder and Captain George Haldeman, whose attempt to fly across the Atlantic failed. The machine fell into the sea, and they were picked up by a steamer.



Mr. M. W. J. Fry, S.F.,T.C.D., who has been appointed Senior Lecturer in Trinity College, Dublin, in succession to Mr. E. J. Gwynn, the new Provost.



Mr. W. Kennedy, F.,T.C.D., who has been appointed Registrar of Trinity College, Dublin. —*Lafayette*

A reception gown of black satin, with a lace yoke and cuffs of lace.

Snapshot taken at Dromoland Castle, Co. Clare. Seated (left to right)—Lady Elizabeth Phipps, the Hon. Grisilda O'Brien, Miss Deirdre O'Brien, the Hon. Mrs. Donough O'Brien, Lady Inchiquin and the Hon. Helga O'Brien. At back—The Hon. Donough O'Brien, Lady Katherine Phipps, the Hon. Fiona O'Brien and Lord Inchiquin.

At the Catholic Truth Society's Conference. Front Row—The Rev. C. Cluna, the Rev. G. W. Turley, C.C. (Honorary Secretary, C.T.S.); the Most Rev. Dr. Mulhern, Bishop of Dromore; Mr. M. Christie and Mr. F. O'Reilly (Executive Secretary, C.T.S.). Back Row—Mr. W. H. Sands, Mrs. Keating, the Rev. Father Breen, Miss R. Walsh, B.A.; Mrs. Maguire, Mr. Barry Egan, T.D.; Dr. Maguire, Mr. P. Keating, Sir Joseph Glynn and the Very Rev. Father Meade.

Turkeys on a West of Ireland farm.

Left—Mrs. Bridget McKenna, of Tavanaymore, Augher, Co. Tyrone, aged 103 years, and Miss Anne Fitzsimmons, formerly of Drumsary, Rockcorry, Co. Monaghan, who will celebrate her 100th birthday in December.

Leinster Ladies' Hockey Union:—Secretaries of Schools' Branch—Sitting (left to right): The Misses Irwin, Abernethy, Preston (Secretary and Treasurer, Leinster Ladies' Hockey Union) and Kilngner. Back Row: The Misses Breen, O'Brien, Caulfield, Browne, O'Kelly, Behan, O'Flynn, White, Dwyer, Boyle, Hughes, Pritchard and Reid.

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BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

DUBLIN (2RN)—319.1 Metres.

1.30-2.0—Weather Report and Gramophone Record Recital. 6.30—Uair i dTir na nOg: Eileen Buckley's Trio, Nuala Burke, Blanche Mercer. 7.0—Gramophone Records. 7.30—Talk: "Clean Milk." Dr. J. M. Bigger. 7.45—Gardening Talk, G. O. Sherrard. 8.0—National Symphony Concert, relayed from People's Palace, London; The National Orchestra, in a Wagner Programme: Orchestra, Overture to "Rienzi," Bridal Procession (Lohengrin); Miriam Licette (soprano), Elisabeth's Greeting (Tannhauser); Orchestra, Forest Murmers (Siegfried), Walter Widdop (tenor), Prize song from "The Mastersingers"; Orchestra, Prelude and Isolde's death (Tristan and Isolde). 9.0—Lecture, Irish Instrumental Music, Carl Hardebeck. 9.30—Fay Sargent and Joan Barke, Musical Sketch, "Holiday Memories": The Parting of Friends (arr. M. Fox), Bantry Bay (Molloy), Kitty of Coleraine, The Meeting of the Waters (Moore), I Once Loved a Boy (Needham), The Next Market Day (Hughes), Mo Mhaire (Handebeck), A Lover's Medley (arr. F. Sargent). 10.0—Men's Chorus, Folk *Ensembles* and Folk Arrangements. 10.30—Weather Forecast.

BELFAST (2BE)—306.1 Metres (980 Kc.). 12.0-1.0, 3.0 — London Programme. 5.15—Children. 6.0-11.0—From London.

LONDON (2LO)—361.4 Metres (830 Kc.) **and DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,604.3 Metres** (187 Kc.).

10.30 a.m. (Daventry only)—Greenwich Time, Weather Forecast. 11.0 (Daventry only)—Daventry Quartet and Tomlin L. Osborne (bass). 12.0—Marie Wilson (violin) and Henry Bronkhurst (pianoforte). 12.30—Organ Recital by Leonard H. Warner, relayed from St. Botolph's, Bishopsgate. 1.0-2.0—The Orchestra Colombo. 3.0—Mr. J. A. Williamson and Mr. Ernest Young: "Empire History and Geography." 3.35—Music. 3.30—Sir Ernest Gray: "How Reading and Writing Began." 3.45—Music. 3.50—Transmission to Schools, The Drama: II., "Twelfth Night." 4.45—Music. 5.0—Talk. 5.15—Children. 6.0—Orchestra. 6.30—Greenwich Time, Weather, and News. 6.45—Orchestra. 7.0—Mr. Percy Scholes, the B.B.C. Music Critic. 7.15—Haydn Piano Sonatas, played by E. Kendall-Taylor. 7.35—Mr. A. Asquith, "The Art of the Cinema," III. 7.45—Mr. Basil Maine, "Next Week's Broadcast Music." 8.0—National Symphony Concert, relayed from the People's Palace; A Wagner Programme, The National Orchestra; Miriam Licette (soprano), Walter Widdop (tenor). The Orchestra. 9.0—Weather and News. 9.15—National Concert, Part II. 10.15 (Daventry only)—Shipping Forecast. 10.20—Mr. Flotsam and Mr. Jetsam. 10.35-11.0—Irene Scharrer, a Farewell Pianoforte Recital. 11.0-12.0—The Riviera Club Dance Band.

DAVENTRY EXPERIMENTAL (5GB)—491.8 Metres (610 Kc.).

3.0—Organ Recital by Leonard H. Warner, relayed from St. Botolph's, Bishopsgate; Rispah (Godacre (contralto). 4.0—London Radio Dance Band, Mira D. Johnson (entertainer). 5.45—Children. 6.30—Greenwich Time, Weather, and News. 6.45—Light Music, The Alfred Cave Sextet, Harold Hallas (baritone). 8.0—"The Doge of Devon," a Comic Opera, from Birmingham. 10.0—Weather and News. 10.15-11.15—The Riviera Club Dance Band.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—326.1 Metres. (920 Kc.).

12.0-1.0—Gramophone Records. 3.0—London Programme. 5.0—Miss I. F. Ramsey: "Growing Up in Belgium." 5.15—Children. 6.0-11.0—From London.

CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres (850 Kc.).

4.45—J. Maddox Yorke: "Rural Community Councils, What some villages are doing." 5.0—Dance Music. 5.15—Children. 6.0—Organ Recital by Arthur E. Sims. 6.30-11.0—From London.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—384.6 Metres. (780 Kc.).

3.0—Station Quartet. 3.25—London Programme. 3.45—Auto-Piano Recital. 3.55—Broadcast to Schools. 4.30—Station Quartet. 4.30—Reginald Tripplet (tenor). 5.0—Councillor Sam Bloor: "Football made easy for the spectator." 5.15—Children. 6.0—The Majestic "Celebrity" Orchestra. 6.30—From London. 6.45—The Majestic Orchestra. 7.0—From London. 10.20—Malcolm Scott, The Woman Who Knows. 10.35-11.0—From London.

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—312.5 Metres. 960 Kc.

12.0-1.0—Gramophone Records. 3.0—London Programme. 5.0—Lady Margaret Sackville: "A Hundred Years of British Drama; II., Congreve. 5.15—Children. 6.0—Station Octet. 6.30-11.0—From London.

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3.15-3.45—Broadcast to Schools. 4.0—Station String Quartet and Thomas Brearley (oboe and cor Anglais). 5.0—Cora Pemberton: "Beauty Customs." 5.15—Children. 5.50—Brahms' Songs, sung by Doris Gambell (soprano). 6.0—London Programme. 6.30 11.0—From London.

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Captain Webb and Mrs. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Geoghegan, Miss Pollock, Mr. and Mrs. Knee, Miss White, Miss Brown, Mrs. Freehill and party were among those present.

COUNTY CAVAN RAIDS.

Two young men named Daly have been detained by the Civic Guards at Mullagh, Co. Cavan, in connection with armed raids which took place in the district last Saturday night. Six houses were raided by masked and armed men, who declared that they were members of the I.R.A., and that they came to search for arms. They seized three shot guns.

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MARKETS.

ENT ADVANCE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Thursday.

...ned firm. Bullish operations ...rily curtailed when liquidation ...ressure commenced in several ...notably Hudson Motors and ...er Copper, but when this sell- ...g" the forward movement was ...th great violence in many ...e success of pool operations in ...ncouraged constructive opera- ...recognised leaders, the most ...ng General Motors, American ... Refining; and U.S. Steel, ...ehine and Foundry jumped 26 ...ville, Chattanooga and St. ...Cast Iron Pipe 8, Rossia Ir- ...H. Macy 7, Abraham Strauss ...do Fuel and Iron and Houston ...arts were bought on the pros- ...increase in the earnings in the ... of the year, and other issues ...anticipation of a brisk upturn ...business. The market closed ...rnment Bonds irregular; Rail- ...mist. The day's sales totalled ...es.

	Thur.	Tues.
...	4b. 4¼a	4b. 4¼a
...—60 days sight	4.82⅝a	4.82⅝a
... Demand, Bills	4.86 11/16	4.86¼
...	4.87a	4.87a
...al	4.86⅞	4.86⅞
... cable	3.92⅞	3.92⅞

STOCKS.	Thur.	Tues.
...s, Topeka, Santa Fe....	190	188¾
... Pref. ...	102	102½
...re and Ohio ...	122	121
...n Pacific ...	196⅞	194½
... Milwaukee, & St. Paul	18	17⅞
... and North West.....	94	93½
...ures ...	65¼	65
...al Preferred ...	61	61⅛
... Central ...	132½	133½
...e and Nashville	135	153½
...), Kansas, and Texas.	45¼	45¼
...ri Pacific New	57	56⅜
...ork Cntrl & Hudson R.	165	164
... and West Com.	189	188½
...n Pacific Com.	95	94⅝
...vania Shares	66	66½
...g Shares	114½	114⅝
... Pref. ...	41⅛	41⅛
...n Pacific	123¼	121⅛
...n Railway	134	134⅛
... Pacific	192	190⅞
... Pref.	81⅞	81⅞
...an Can. (New Stock)....	63⅞	63½
...an Smelt. and Refining	170½	168
...dia Copper	47⅝	47½
...American Oil	18⅜	—
...rem Steel Com. Stock...	53½	54¼
...merican Tobacco Coupon	25½	—
...York Consolidated Gas.	117	118½
... Electric (New Stock).	136	134½
... Motors (New)	138⅞	138⅝
...Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	4¼	4¼
... Pref. Certs	36¼	36½
...ational Pet. of Canada.	31⅞	30½
...al Leaf	122½	121
...erican Petroleum "B"	49	48
...Transport and Trading...	41¾	41¼
...nion Oil Corp.	23⅛	23
...Rubber	57	52
... States Steel Common..	147⅝	143¼
... Pref.	136¼	137
...Commercial Bars	35⅞	35⅞

BONDS.

...ton New 4½ Gen. Mort.	97½	97¼
...all Gen 4½ Lien Bonds	81	81¼
... Pacific 4½ Bonds....	92⅝	92⅝
...eel 2nd Mort. 6% Bonds	108¾	109
...½ per cent Bonds, 1929	...	117¾
... Do. 1937	105⅜	105¼
...cent. German Loan....	106¼	106¼
...ens. 5½ p.c. Bds., 46-56	106	106

...x div.; ‡ Ex interest; ‖ Ex rights.

EAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

OCKS AND SHARES.	Closing Prices. Thur.	Wed.
...Power & Paper Co., Ltd	135	134
... Corp. of Canada, Ltd.	37½	38
... Pref. ...	95	95
...n T. L. & P. Co., Ltd	20⅞	20⅝
...ngue Steel Corp., Ltd	¼	¼
...ist Preference Series B	16	16
...nd Preference	1¼	1¼
...n Pulp & Paper Co., Ltd	44½	44½
... Cement Co., Ltd.....	244⅛	244
...n Cottons Co., Ltd. ..	126	125½
...n Indus Alcohol Co...	36¼	36⅜
... Steamships Lines, Ltd.	38⅛	39
... New 6 p.c.	94	95¼
...ning & Smelt. Co. of Canada, Ltd.	261	261
...ay Textile Co., Ltd..	131¼	129
...er Gold Mining Shares	17⅛	17⅝
...ide Co., Ltd.	103⅞	102½
...ian H. & P. Consd.	91⅝	91⅞
...d Breweries, Ltd.	91⅜	91½
...Bros. and Co., Ltd. ..	64	64⅛
...egan W. & P. Co. (New).	85	85
...R. Pp & Pr Mills, Ltd	124	114½
... Do. Preferred	139	132½
...d of Canada, Ltd.	164	164
... Power Co. New Stock...	75	74½
...manay	84½	82
...ng Electric	90¼	90¼

ORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

...oots steady, unchanged to 3/6c. up.

	To-day.	Prev. day
...ntum, spot ...	164⅞	164⅞
... Manitoba, spot ...	142⅜	142⅜
...nter, spot ...	140⅛	140⅝

...acts, 3/6c. up for December. Closing ...mber, 152⅞; March, unquoted; May

...xport—100 boatloads, ...y at 13/6c. decline.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
...2 mixed spot ...	99⅛	99⅛

...UM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day
...e in cases ...	17.15	17.11
...e in barrels ...	13.75	13.71
...bis. ...	13.75	12.71
...Crude ...	33-33.9	33-33.9
...rude ...	2.25-2.65	2.25-2.65

...quiet, but firm. First latex crêpe, ...ivery smoked ribbed sheets, spot, ...3/4 seller.

...entrifugal Cuban spot firm, 16 points ...west centrifugal Cuban, 4.71. Futures ... Approximate day's sales—60,000

	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May.	July	Sept.
...2	2.93	2.95	2.82	2.90	2.98	3.08
...0	2.91	2.92	2.83	2.92	3.00	3.07

...100,000 bags of Cuban and 21,000 ...ptions at 4.71 for prompt shipment.

...Straits Tin steady. Spot and Decem... ...ts higher. Spot and near by New ... future option—December, 57.62½ ...unchanged to 5 points up. Spot New ...East St. Louis, 6.05. Zinc steadier ...1 higher, spot East St. Louis, 6.12½ ...ady. Northern No. 2 plain, f.o.b. ...ff (Pennsylvania, 20.00; f.o.b. Buffalo ...ooth, 21.11 by rail, 19.50 by water.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

...pened steady, unchanged to ⅛c. lower, ...steady, 1/2 to ⅛c. higher. Opening ...ber, 136½; December, 129⅜; May, ...ng option—October, 137⅛; December, ...134⅝. Rye steady, ⅜c. to ⅝c. up. ...ons—October, 95½; December, 93¾. ...ley ⅛c. down to unchanged. Closing ...ber, 65½; December, 54½. Barley ...up to ⅛c. down. Closing options— ...December, 77¾. Flaxseed easier, 1c. ... Closing options—October, 192; De...

	To-day.	Prev. day.
...s (cwts.).		
...thern	24	25
...thern	154	125
...thern	179	215
...thern	66	112
...dies	844	747
...Total ...	1,287	1,224

NEW YORK COTTON.

...opened easy one 12 to 8 points lower, ...n selling and the absence of selling ... South-West; but the market quickly ...to the trade and commission houses ...forecast for night Cost over the Looom ...ing to shorts and New Orleans buying ...ions of bullish consumption figures ...rise, and at the close the tone was ...with quotations showing gains of 35 ...s. Spot quiet at 25 points advance. ...s spot 21 points higher.

...elling unload at New York, 21.25 ...elling upland at New Orleans, 21.10 ...(two days' Atlantic ports, 19,000 ...75,000. Pacific, all; Interior towns,

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Thursday.

...opened barely steady and ⅛c. to ¼c. ...to disappointing cable advices and good ...to from Canada. It is estimated that ...a liberal Argentine exportable surplus ...ainder of the year. A rally occurred ...to a better export demand and the ...ed steady, ⅛c. to ¼c. up. Spot steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day
...Winter spot ...	129⅛	129¼
...Winter spot ...	—	127

...ening options—	Dec.	Mar.	May.
...	129⅞	133	135⅛
...	130¼	133⅞	135⅝

...sing options—	Dec.	Mar.	May
...	130⅞	135¼	136⅝
...	130¼	133⅛	135¼

...was barely steady and ⅛c. to ¼c. down ...ing. The market closed barely steady ...¼c. decline.

2 mixed Western 100's.

...ening options—	Dec.	Mar.	May.
...	92⅛	92⅛	95⅛
...	93¼	93¼	96⅛

...sing options—	Dec.	Mar.	May
...	89⅛	92	94⅜
...	90⅛	93⅛	95⅝

...eady, but ⅛c. to ¼c. lower.

...sing options—	Dec.	Mar.	May
...	46⅞	49¼	50⅛
...	47¼	49⅝	50⅝

...eady, ¼c. down to ¼c. up. No. 2 spot,

...sing options—	Dec.	Mar.	May
...	98¼	100	101⅛
...	99½	100⅛	101¼

...IONS—Lard opened firm. The market ...firmness at first, in unison with hogs, ...ng caused slight recessions afterwards, ...er was steady with futures 7½ to 10 and ...points up. Ribs quiet and unchanged. ...ne Western steam spot, 12.35½.

...ning options—	Oct.	Dec.	Jan.
...	12.52½	12.70	12.95
...	12.45	12.60	12.85

...ng options—	Oct.	Dec.	Jan.
...	12.00	11.85	12.60
...	12.00	11.85	12.60

...steady. Short ribs spot (60lbs. average),

...firm. Light sorts are 15 to 20 and ...points up. Light-weights 11.60 to ...avy-weight, 11.10 to 12.30.

	*To-day.	*Same day last year
...Chicago	65,000	249,000

*Two days.

GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE.

HIGHBORN'S CANTER

CLOSE FINISH IN MIDDLE PARK STAKES.

KEEN COMPETITION AT THE SALES.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

NEWMARKET, Thursday Night.

It is possible that I was wrong yesterday when I wrote that Lightning Artist failed to stay home in the last quarter of a mile of the Cesarewitch. It has since become known that he was struck into from behind approaching the bushes, and the ligaments of both legs so badly cut that it is unlikely that he will be able to run again this season.

There has been no space earlier this week to refer to the Bloodstock Sales. They were a miscellaneous lot in many cases that were offered during the first two days, but there were plenty of people looking for likely horses to make jumpers, and anything that filled the bill sold well. Then (this morning) there was a splendid sale for Mr. James White's brood mares, many of which were well-bred, and mated with fashionable stallions. The competition was very keen for these, and many of them fetched twice as much as they would have if offered during the lifetime of their owner. I expect there will be very keen competition to-morrow for Call Boy's half-brother, the Comedienne colt, when he comes up with the rest of the late Mr. Frank Curzon's horses in training. I understand that he has been valued at £15,000.

By comparison with the previous afternoon, it was quiet on the Rowley Mile to-day, though the crowd present was a good one for the third day of the meeting. The afternoon was dull to begin with, but the sun came out later, though it never dispelled the haze which made the visibility moderate throughout.

GONE TO STUD.

Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen's Highborn II. retired from the Turf with an easy victory to his credit over his only opponent in the Challenge Stakes, Nipisiquit, Fete waiting for a race to-morrow. He beat her in a common canter, and now goes to Captain Bell's stud at Lambourn, where his fee has been fixed at the reasonable one of 98 guineas. The champion sprinter of his year, and coming from the male line of St. Simon, with a cross of Flying Fox and St. Frusquin (his dam's pedigree), he should be a valuable acquisition to the list of stallions at the disposal of English breeders. He is nearly full for next year already.

Efforts, I believe, are being made to induce M. Boussac to allow Asterus to stand in England, but it is unlikely that he will. The heavy super-tax on stallion fees which have to be paid in this country, and from which there is exemption in France, make the latter country a more profitable one in which to exploit a good stallion.

If the day did not yield a counterpart to the series of exciting finishes provided by the afternoon of the Cesarewitch, we had one or two very close things. The Middle Park Plate was won by Lord Derby's Pharamond by a head from the Aga Khan's Parwiz, with Maer Hills, a short head away third. Thus was Lord Derby compensated for the slight mishap to Fairway which prevented him from running for this race. Incidentally, the association of this stake, which is worth over £3,000, enables Frank Butters to shift Taylor back to his old position of second in the winning trainers' list.

A MODERATE CLASS.

As Pharamond is a long way behind Fairway at home, we can take it that the class was below the average of the race. Pharamond has done well since beaten in his last race here, and is a much lengthier colt than Sickle was at 's age. Parwiz is also a bigger, lengthier, and heavier colt than was his brother, Mahmoud, when he ran in the Middle Park. He was very deficient in muscle when he ran at the last meeting here, but he has put it on since, and there still is a great deal of room for improvement in him. He does not, however, show the same delightful quality as Mamra did.

The form, as it stands, is hardly be called first-class, because both were receiving a pound instead of giving three to the filly. Maer Hills, and she was only beaten a head and a short head, which suggests that she would have won at weight for sex. She did not strike off as quickly as the others either. Pharamond jumped off slightly in front of Parwiz, and they ran close together until coming down the Bushes hill, when Parwiz got his head in front. The other, however, came again to beat him just a little cleverly.

Musical Prince never threatened danger, but I believe he was not thought to be at his best. Exeter, who is coming along well, finished fourth. Both Pharamond and Parwiz are by Phalaris, and the victory of the former has given his sire a good lift in the winning table.

MASKED MARVEL'S LOST FORM.

The winner of the Cambridgeshire of two years ago, Masked Marvel, disappointed badly in the Heath Plate, for which he was well fancied, and after holding a leading position for six furlongs, he dropped out and finished second last. This was not Cambridgeshire form, and Masked Marvel to-day was not the good colt he was two seasons ago. The Belgian mare, Kitty, once invincible in her own country, also ran badly, and suggested that she is tired of racing, and has no chance in the Cambridgeshire. The race was won by that good little Hainault filly, Captain Boyd-Rochfort's Hunt the Slipper, who had been third in the Duke of York Handicap last Saturday, and here came from behind to win nicely by a length, and the same from Granpau and Invermark.

An Irish-bred daughter of Cygnus, in Dunlavin Lass, trained by Captain Cyril Kirk, won the Witchford Three-Year-Old Selling Plate comfortably. There was an accident in the race for the Lowther Stakes, when at the beginning of the rails Arran Chief jinked and bolted out of the course, his jockey, R. James, incidentally spraining his wrist badly. Sledmere then went on in front, but coming down Bushes Hill Tons Asinorum flew past him and beat him five lengths, a good performance on the part of the handsome son of Tredennis.

FOHANAUN COUGHING.

Incidentally, the trainer of Pons Asinorum, W. Earl, tells me that his Cambridgeshire candidate, Fohanaun has had a slight bout of coughing, and, when he was over that, rapped himself slightly at exercise. He is so well, however, that these minor mishaps are not thought prejudicial to his chance the week after next. Fohanaun was the subject of all sorts of disquieting rumours this morning.

POBIEDA BEATEN.

A daughter of Silvern, in Silvern Isle, bred at the National Stud, for whom Sir Abe Bailey gave 1,000 guineas after she won Barling a high-class seller on the July course, beat the greatly-fancied Pobieda in the Suffolk Nursery. The Aga Khan's grey was in front most of the way, but Silvern Isle, with Eagle's Pride's jockey, Dines, up, got up to beat him. Stadacona ran only moderately, and may not have been seen at her best.

A newcomer with a tall reputation, who was well backed, Mr. J. B. Joel's Green Ray, a sister of Green Fire, made mincemeat of the small opposition in the Bretby Stakes, which she won easily from Lawful.

It will be a quiet day to-morrow without the Middle Park Stakes, usually the centre piece of the last afternoon. THE HERMIT II., who won in a canter at the last meeting and missed the Clearwell on Tuesday, runs for the Prendergast, which he should win. With Book Law, who is coughing, out of the way, Coronach's improving brother, CALEDON, may win the Royal Stakes.

FETE runs for the Kennet Stakes, where her most dangerous rival may be the French colt, Cramick. The Exning Welter is a very open event, and the best may be the Portland Handicap winner, MAYRIAN.

GALTEE MORE.

FORM HORSES.

NEWMARKET.

1. 0—Colonial Boy
1.30—Blue Isle (nap).
2. 0—Saint Fortunat.
2.30—Fete.
3. 6—The Hermit II.
3.30—Caledon.

CATTERICK BRIDGE.

1.30—Manvaro.
2. 0—Big Val.
2.30—Lismura.
3. 0—Mimicry.
3.30—Glanisrague.
4. 0—Kwillow.

Eclipse.

TRALEE.

ANOTHER BIG ATTENDANCE.

Judging by the two splendid days' racing at Tralee, which followed two similarly successful days at Listowel last week, there is no need to be pessimistic about the future of racing in the South of Ireland. Yesterday there was an increased attendance, the sport was interesting throughout, and there was even more life and animation about the proceedings than on Wednesday.

Wild Thistle had no penalty in the Directors' Hurdle Plate for his Listowel win, which was on the flat, and it was anticipated that he would score here. He ran well up to a point, but then broke down, and with Mr. Telly's horse out of the way there was a very interesting finish between Queen Chow, Bonnie Brae and Say before the first-named prevailed. It was certainly a due reward to Mr. F. Mitchell, the veteran Midland trainer, to win a race, as he is a staunch supporter of the pastime, and travels all over the country. Mr. Mitchell will be remembered as the owner and rider of the famous Admiral, who was winning races before many present-day racegoers were born.

Lisworney, by virtue of the number of races he has run in of late, has been referred to as the "iron" horse. He was turned out again for the Ballybeggan Steeplechase, and in a great set-to with Brackbawn scored by a neck. The Maddenstown Lodge candidate, Rippling, was preferred to Aileen Aroon for the Stewards' Plate, and in the hands of E. M. Quirke he won in very easy style.

Marchesi followed up his previous day's success by also capturing the Kenmare Steeplechase, after winning which he was allowed to remain in the possession of Mrs. Darby Rogers, nobody being disposed to make a bid of £75 for him. Odds are laid on Kildarra Boy to win the Kerry Plate, but it took all Joseph Canty's artistry in the saddle to get his mount home half a length in front of Bonnie Baby, who, at the distance, looked to have the race won.

Details:—

2.15—THE DIRECTORS' PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 2 m.

Mr. F. W. Mitchell's (jun.) gr. m. QUEEN CHOW, by King's Zenith—Chow d'ye do, 5, 10-5 ..... P. O'Hara 1

Mr. T. Nunan's BONNIE BRAES, 5, 11-0 ..... C. McCarthy 2

Mr. G. Manning's SAY, a, 9-13 ..... C. McCarthy 3

Mr. F. Burke's Buffoon, a, 12-0 ..... Jos. Canty 0

Mrs. Darby Rogers's Empress Forest, a, 11-11 ..... Mr. H. Delmeare 0

Mr. H. J. Tully's Wild Thistle, a, 10-13 ..... J. H. Harty 0

Mr. J. J. Foley's Braemar, a, 10-2 ..... E. Foley 0

Mr. P. P. Gleeson's Scarlet Pimpernel, a, 9-8 ..... (—) 0

(Winner trained by J. Mitchell.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Wild Thistle, 4 to 1 Empress Forest, 5 to 1 Buffoon, 7 to 1 QUEEN CHOW, 8 to 1 Scarlet Pimpernel, 10 to 1 Say or any other.

On setting down, Queen Chow led from Wild Thistle, Empress Forest, Braemar, Buffoon and Say, and Scarlet Pimpernel, with Buffoon last, until half a mile from home, when Queen Chow was in advance of Empress Forest, Braemar, Say and Bonnie Braes. Entering the straight, Bonnie Braes took the lead, but failed to respond to the challenge of Queen Chow, who won by three lengths, a length separated second and third. Braemar was fourth, Scarlet Pimpernel fifth, and Buffoon next.

2.45—THE BALLYBEGGAN PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2 m.

Miss M. Feore's b. h. LISWORNEY, by Prospector—Fantel, 5, 11-5 ..... J. Costello 1

Mrs. J. Lombard's BRACKBAWN, 6, 11-6 ..... Mr. C. Ryan 0

Mr. C. Ryan's POLAR LASS, a, 11-0 ..... C. McCarthy 3

(Winner trained by J. Dawson.)

Betting—5 to 4 on LISWORNEY, 2 to 1 agst. Brackbawn, 6 to 1 Polar Lass.

Lisworney set the pace to Polar Lass and Brackbawn to the second last fence, when Brackbawn took the lead, but Lisworney, coming again, got the best of a grand finish by a neck; five lengths separated second and third.

3.15—THE STEWARDS' PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A welter flat race. 2 m.

Mr. J. J. Parkinson's b. g. RIPPLING, by Loch Lomond—Brighter, 5, 10-0 ..... E. M. Quirke 1

Mr. F. P. Gleeson's BRIGHTER LIMERICK, 5, 9-7 ..... M. Gleeson 2

Mr. M. Mitchell's TIM'S PET, 3, 10-0 ..... P. Foley 3

Mr. E. L. Lloyd's Aileen Aroon, 5, 10-5 ..... J. H. Harty 0

Mr. E. Cunningham's Some View, 6, 11-0 ..... M. Keogh 0

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. RIPPLING, 3 to 1 Aleen Aroon, 6 to 1 Some View, 8 to 1 each Brighter Limerick and Tim's Pet.

Some View made the pace for Rippling, Brighter Limerick, Aileen Aroon, and Tim's Pet, until half a mile from home, when Rippling drew to the front, followed by Scarlet Pimpernel, to win easily by ten lengths; five lengths separated second and third. Aleen Aroon was fourth.

3.45—THE KENMARE PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A weight for age steeplechase. 2 m.

Mrs. Darby Rogers's b. g. MARCHESI, by Maraja—Italian Opera, a, 10-7 ..... Mr. T. B. Cullinan 1

Miss B. Wise's GIPSY INA, 6, 11-0 ..... J. Rogan, sen. 0

(Winner trained by D. Rogers.)

Betting—6 to 4 on MARCHESI, 2 to 1 agst. Prickles, 10 to 1 each Gipsy Ina and Lady Irene.

Marchesi came on first with Prickles, Gipsy Ina, and Lady Irene, for half a mile, when the last named fell, and Marchesi, drawing away, won by eight lengths; three lengths separated second and third.

There was no bid for the winner.

4.15—THE KERRY PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. 1¼ m.

Mr. M. Dawson's b. h. KILDARRA BOY, by Thistleton—Bachelor's Girl, 6, 11-0 ..... Jos. Canty 1

Mr. H. J. Tully's BONNIE BABY, 3, 8-7 ..... H. Harty 2

Mr. J. J. Foley's THE DUD, 6, 10-1 ..... E. Foley 3

Mr. J. D. O'Connell's Inniscarra, 4, 9-5 ..... P. Conlon 0

Mrs. P. Sheehan's The Blues, 6, 8-11 ..... T. Sheehan 0

Mrs. H. Harty's Old Lady, 3, 8-5 ..... P. Conlon 0

Capt. T. Martin's Aidan, a, 8-9 ..... (O'Hara 0

Mr. M. Cunningham's Amaranthe, 3, 8-4 ..... J. Boult 0

(Winner trained by J. Dawson.)

Betting—2 to 1 on KILDARRA BOY, 6 to 1 agst. Bonnie Baby, 10 to 1 each Pearlmore and Old Lady, 20 to 1 any other.

Bonnie Baby showed the way to Kildarra Boy, Amaranthe, Inniscarra, The Blues, The Dud, and Pearlmore with Aidan last, to the straight, when Kildarra Boy headed Bonnie Baby, to win by half a length; three-quarters of a length separated second and third. The Blues was fourth, Pearlmore fifth, and Amaranthe next.

NEWMARKET TOWN PLATE.

THREE LADY JOCKEYS COMPETE.

The historic Town Plate, which was instituted in the year 1666 by King Charles II., and was originally for Newmarket tradesmen and their sons, was decided at Newmarket yesterday.

Difficulties of the race state that it is "to be run at 12 o'clock on the second Thursday in October for ever." For many years the race was run on the round course, but is now decided on the summer course. The result was as follows:—

FAY TOY (Miss B. Saunders) ..... Owner 1

HAPPY GREETINGS (Major R. Ratliffe) ..... Miss Iris Rickaby 2

HOGIER (Mr. W. C. Earl) ..... Miss Eileen Joel 3

Betting—5 to 4 on Happy Greetings, 6 to 4 agst. Hogier, 3 to 1 FAY TOY.

Won by a distance; a bad third.

CURRAGH TRAINING NOTES.

THE CURRAGH, Thursday.

A thick fog prevailed all the morning and late into the day. There was little work done on the regular gallops, the majority of the teams being restricted to healthy exercise in the vicinity of the home-quarters.

REHAN'S Argolis, Dione, Phare, Irish Glass, Some Other Day, and Poor Man had practice at the starting gate and easy canterine exercise.

COOMBS'S Autumn Fire, Cyclonese, Carlovia, Confidence, Hazel Grove and the two-year-olds were given bouts of healthy exercise.

DOYLE'S Major Ray and Shannon Scheme, Tranquillity, May Orb and Maid of Athlone were walking on the roads.

Three additional yearlings, the property of Major Dixon, arrived at Mountjoy Lodge this morning.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette :—To-day's Best—Some Pep. Double—Some Pep and Mayrian.

Daily Express :—Safety Bet — Mayrian (each way). Double—Mayrian and Fete.

Daily Mirror :—Double — Arrival and Cramick (nap).

Daily Sketch :—Double — Fete and Blue Isle.

NEWMARKET TO-DAY:

PROBABLE RUNNERS AND BETTING.

SELECTIONS.

Southfield Stakes—**Colonial Boy**
T.Y.O. Selling—**Tetracaun.***
Exning Welter—**Toureen.**
Kennett Stakes—**Cramick.**
Prendergast Stakes—**The Hermit II.**
Royal Stakes—**Caledon.**

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.

Tetracaun (Newmarket) and **Sovereign Lady** (Catterick).

1.0—SOUTHFIELD STAKES of 3 sovs. each, and 5 sovs. ex. for starters, with 300 sovs. added. Second receives 50 sovs. and third 30 sovs. 1½ m. Age. st. lb.

SPARTACUS (Ld. Rosebery)	J. Jarvis	4 9 7
COLONIAL BOY (Mr. A. K. Macomber)	Cleot	4 9 7
GRANDE VITESSE (Sir Geo. Bullough)	J. Jarvis	3 9 6
TIGER HILL (Col. Michael Hughes)	C. Leader	3 9 1
SIR JOSHUA (Maj. F. R. Sneyd)	Sneyd	6 9 1
GREEN ORB (Mr. Douglas Crossman)	Pope	4 9 0
KHATHERWAY (Ld. Glanely)	Archer	3 8 9
KINCHINFUNGA (Mr. H. C. Sutton)	Quirke	1 8 7
PRECEPTOR (Ld. Zetland)	T. Waugh	3 8 9
BRIGALIADORO (Mr. Anthony de Rothschild)	Dundas	3 8 5
SALPETRE (Mr. A. K. Macomber)	Watson	3 8 5
	In France	4 8 0
START II. (M. M. Boussac)	Darling	3 7 12
CONQUEROR II. (Capt. J. D. Cohn)	Rayson	3 7 12
GIOVANNI (Mr. Jas. A. de Rothschild)	Pratt	3 7 12
LEMINGTON (Sir John Rutherford)	G. Bennett	4 7 11
LANDWADE (Ld. St. Davids)	R. Day	3 7 12
WOOMERAH (Mr. M. G. Bingen)	A. Taylor	3 7 12
HENNAPYN (Mr. A. Barclay Walker)	Perse	3 7 12
BUCHYLEEN (Sir Delves Broughton)	Farquharson	4 7 11
KEFI AMARANTE (Ld. Queensborough)	G. Bennett	4 7 11
SPEAR O' WAR (Ld. Queensborough)	G. Bennett	6 7 11
MAID OF PERTH (Mr. G. H. Drummond)	J. Darling	3 7 9

Betting

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Forecast.

020 SPARTACUS	J. Childs	8/1
011 COLONIAL BOY	H. Beasley	5/2
121 SIR JOSHUA	G. Richards	3/1
021 TIGER HILL	J. Childs	5/1
121 KINCHINFUNGA	J. Donoghue	9/2
034 BRIGLIADORO	Weston	10/1
SALPETRE	Weston	10/1

1.30—TWO-YEAR-OLD SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 5f. st. lb.

BURTON'S FANCY (Lady Freake)	Bullock	9 0
GOOSIE F., by Somme Kiss (Mr. R. L. Glasspool)	Leader	9 0
ORPHEAN (Capt. Bewicke)	Bewicke	9 0
SOME PEP (Capt. G. A. Boyd-Rochfort)	Boyd-Rochfort	8 10
METRICAL (Mr. J. Brown)	Boyd-Rochfort	8 10
TETRALA (Lady Cunliffe-Owen)	Leach, sen.	8 10
INSTALMENT (Mr. W. Harvie)	Wilmot	8 10
ERROR (Mr. E. H. Jenks)	Watts	8 10
DEVIN (Mr. Sol Joel)	Earl	8 10
TETRACAUN (H.H. Aga Khan)	R. Dawson	8 10
VULPES C., by Orpheus (Mr. E. G. de Mestre)	De Mestre	8 10
MALBROUCK (Capt. Lionel Montagu)	Cottrill	8 7
CASTALIAN C., by King Sol (Major H. Hartigan)	H. Leader	8 10
HEATH POULT C., by Glanmerin (Mr. Pickering)	Pickering	8 10
DREAM SHIP (Mr. A. Schwartz)	Perse	8 7
COCK LAW (Mr. F. Straker)	Bewicke	8 10
MONUMENT (Ld. Wolverton)	Butters	8 10
TRANSMIT (Sir Abe Bailey)	R. Day	8 10
WARLAKE (Mr. Crossman)	Pope	8 7
LAUGHING STELLA (Mr. R. Dawson)	R. Day	8 7
MANUSCRIPT F., by Tamar (Ld. Ellesmere)	Pickering	8 7
HEREFORD DALE F., by Viceroy (Mr. J. St. V. Fox)	J. Jarvis	8 7
IFRIDA F. (Mr. P. Gilpert)	Archer	8 7
MY FANCY (Lord Glanely)	Coldbeck	8 7
BLUE ISLE (Lord Glanely)	Hogg	8 7
BRACKENLEY, by Dark Legend (Mr. O. M. Leahy)	Whittaker	8 7
PASHMINA (Mr. G. E. D. Langley)	J. Dawson	8 7
MARTAGON'S PRIDE F., by Hainault (Mr. D. Waugh)	Scobie	8 7
ROGUE'S ROGUERY (Mr. James A. de Rothschild)	Pratt	8 7
SOME LADY (Sir V. Sassoon)	Crawford	8 7
ATALOMA (Capt. H. Street)	J. Manser	8 7
SUN MAID (Capt. R. Wilson)	Perse	8 7
SILVER NITRATE (Capt. A. S. Wills)	Perse	8 7

Betting

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Forecast.

020 SOME PEP	J. Childs	8/1
01 BURTON'S FANCY	Bullock	10/1
310 GOOSIE FILLY	Southby	10/1
000 ORPHEAN	H. Leach	100/8
000 ERROR	Watts	100/8
023 CASTALIAN COLT	J. Leach	6/1
023 INSTALMENT	Dick	10/1
HEATH POULT COLT	R. Jones	100/7
000 DEVIN	Winter	10/1
030 COCK LAW	Dines	7/1
042 MONUMENT	Weston	7/1
000 TRANSMIT	Scobie	100/1
0 VULPES COLT	S. Donoghue	10/1
230 TETRACAUN	Smirke	7/2
000 BLUE ISLE	Elliott	8/1
MY FANCY	Tiffin	100/7
000 ATALOMA	C. Childs	100/7
000 IFRIDA	Lane	100/7
002 BLUE ISLE	G. Richards	100/8
000 MARTAGON'S PRIDE	C. Richards	100/7

2.0—SAINT FORTUNAT HANDICAP of 10 sovs. each, with 500 sovs. added. Second receives 50 sovs. 6f. Age st. lb.

NOTHING VENTURE (Sir J. Buchanan Jardine)	Loach, sen.	4 9 10
BELLA MINNA (Capt. Riley Lord)	Beatty	4 9 10
NICE PROSPECT (Mr. J. B. Joel)	C. Peck	4 9 9
FOUNDATION STONE (Mr. H. Pulitzer)	S. Darling	4 9 4
CRAGFORD (Mr. A. Douglas-Pennant)	Hogg	5 9 3
CANFIELD (Capt. Lionel Montagu)	F. Hartigan	4 8 12
BUCK AWAY (Mr. A. Busch)	C. Waugh	4 8 8
FOURTH HAND (Maj. McCalmont)	Persse	3 8 7
ARRIVAL (Mr. E. H. Jenks)	A. Watts	3 8 7
TOUREEN (Col. Charteris)	Boyd-Rochfort	3 8 7
PORTLAND (Capt. G. Dunne)	Boyd-Rochfort	3 8 7
DODDER (Mr. Sol Joel)	Boyd-Rochfort	4 8 5
MAYRIAN (Mr. Sol Joel)	Earl	4 8 5
SAINT FORTUNAT (Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen)	O. Bell	4 8 5
FIRE ENGINE (Mr. W. W. Hope)	O. Bell	4 8 5
ANAHID (Mr. Edward Esmond)	W. Waugh	3 8 4
PRESENT (Mr. W. Boer)	Leach, jun.	3 8 3
COMPILER (Mr. Lewis Schwerin)	Bullock	3 8 0
MARINE PARADE (Lord Glanely)	Archer	4 7 13
FRENCH KISS (Capt. J. G. R. Hamilton)	Sherwood	4 7 12
TUGELA (Lieut.-Col. Giles Loder)	Gilpin	3 7 11
GREY HILL (Sir Charles Hyde)	Gilpin	3 7 11
DINGAAN'S DAY (Sir Abe Bailey)	R. Day	3 7 10
WHITE MAIZE (Mr. H. B. Lawrence)	Cundell	3 7 9
QUICKELLO (Lady Ludlow)	Watts	3 7 7
ZAIRAT (Mr. H. Toon)	Watts	3 7 7
MELANESIA (Lord Derby)	F. Butters	3 7 7

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting. Forecast.

040 NOTHING VENTURE	J. Leach	100/8
000 NICE PROSPECT	Chrslake	8/1
001 FOUNDATION STONE	H. Beasley	5/1
010 CRAGFORD	G. Richards	5/1
000 BUCKAWAY	Perryman	100/7
201 FRENCH KISS	Weston	8/1
000 ARRIVAL	Fox	100/8
000 TOUREEN	Cragford	Fete
000 PORTLAND	Cragford	Queen's Bower.

2.30—KENNETT STAKES of 10 sovs. each, 2 ft., with 300 sovs. added. 8f. st. lb.

DAMON (Mr. T. F. Ryan)	Cottrill	10 2
FOURTH HAND (Maj. McCalmont)	Persse	9 10
TAG END (Mr. J. B. Joel)	C. Peck	9 3
QUEEN'S ROVER (Mr. Jesse Brown)	Head	9 0
CYTHEREA (His Majesty)	W. Jarvis	8 10
GOOD MEASURE (Mrs. C. Beatty)	Dundas	8 7
INCHRONNY (Mr. W. W. Hope)	T. Waugh	8 7
GOLDEN ODE (Lady Londonderry)	O. Bell	8 3
L'ABBESSE DE GRASSE (Mr. D. Waugh)	J. Dawson	8 7
THYESTIS (Mr. Z. G. Michallon)	Barling	8 2
CRAMICK (M. M. Boussac)	Darling	8 1
RAIE D'OR (Dr. E. F. Francis)	S. Darling	7 7
TRAFAD (Mr. F. J. Benson)	J. Cannon	7 7
AYLBURN (Mr. J. S. Austen)	C. Wilson	7 7
TARGYETA (Sir Wm. Cooke)	Leach, jun.	7 4
PREVIOUS (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen)	Platt	7 4
FETE (Sir V. Sassoon)	O. Bell	7 4
LECTURE (Mr. Reid Walker)	C. Doyle	7 4

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting. Forecast.

000 FOURTH HAND	H. Beasley	5/1
131 PUTRUS	J. Childs	8/1
200 INCHRONNY	S. Donoghue	8/1
000 L'ABBESSE DE GRASSE	Weston	11/1
0 CRAMICK	Elliott	100/8
000 RAIE D'OR	Fox	100/8
042 FETE	G. Richards	100/7

3.0—PRENDERGAST STAKES of 25 sovs. each, 10 ft., with 400 sovs. added. Two-year-olds. 5f. st. lb.

THE HERMIT II. (Mr. A. K. Macomber)	S. Darling 9 7
THE WHEELER (Duke of Portland)	S. Darling 9 7
SCINTILLATION (Mr. C. W. S. Whitburn)	Cottrill 8 7
ARCH DRUID (H.H. Aga Khan)	B. Dawson 8 7
VERDIDE (Lt.-Col. Giles Loder)	Gilpin 8 7
TETRILE (Mr. R. D. Cohen)	R. Day 8 4
FASTEK (Mr. R. D. Cohen)	R. Day 8 4
SOMER MOONE (Mr. A. D. Cox)	A. Taylor 8 4
HARMONY (Ld. Glanely)	Archer 8 4
PEACE AND PLENTY (Maj. McCalmont)	Perse 8 4

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Betting. Forecast.

1 THE HERMIT II.	Elliott	6/4
331 ARCH DRUID	Smirke	9/2
03 SCINTILLATION	J. Leach	5/1
340 SPEYSIDE	R. Carslake	2
232 TETRILE	G. Richards	10/1
100 HARMONY	S. Donoghue	7/1
110 PEACE AND PLENTY	Thwaites	10/1
0 VERDIDE	H. Beasley	11/4

3.30—ROYAL STAKES, a post sweepstakes of 100 sovs. each, h. ft. Three-year-olds. 1¼ m. st. lb.

ADAM'S APPLE (Mr. C. W. S. Whitburn)	Cottrill	10 2
BOOK LAW (Lord Astor)	A. Taylor	9 10
BUCKFAST (Mr. R. D. Cohen)	R. Day	9 8
PRESTISSIMO (Sir Y. Sassoon)	Crawford	9 3
CALEDON (Lord Woolavington)	F. Darling	9 3
GREY HILLS (Sir C. Hyde)	Scobie	8 12
BYTHORNE (Lord Derby)	Frank Butters	8 12
BRIGLIADORO (Mr. A. de Rothschild)	Watson	8 12
LEMIN (Sir C. Hyde)	Watson	8 12
MELANESIA (Lord Derby)	Scobie	8 12
SON AND HEIR (Sir Abe Bailey)	Frank Butters	8 7
LEGISLATOR (Sir A. Bailey)	R. Day	8 2
EAGLE ROCK (Lord Astor)	A. Taylor	8 2
BUVETTE (Mr. J. P. Hornung)	A. Taylor	8 2
SILVER BARB (Mr. R. D. Cohen)	R. Day	7 1

Betting

Form. Probable Starters and Jockeys. Forecast.

331 CALEDON	J. Childs	1/2
034 BRIGLIADERO	Perryman	5/1
24 EAGLE'S ROCK	Jelliss	7/1

LATEST SCRATCHINGS — Sunfield Stakes—Mousme, Exning Welter—Dark Warrior, Prendergast Stakes—Jamus. Royal Stakes—Devonshire House, Jacob, Trelawny, Whitwind.

LUDLOW MEETING.

FORMIDABLE WINS CHIEF EVENT.

1.15—GAYNHAM SELLING HURDLE RACE of 200 sovs. 2 m.

Mr. W. E. Robinson's ch. g. PIVOTAL, by Radium—Rettieve, a, 12-3	Mr. W. R. West 1
Mr. G. R. Lawrence's FRIAR DINN, a, 11-12	Mr. T. Mitchell 2
Mr. A. E. Hesketh's RADIANT MYSTERY, a, 11-7	Mr. T. Cheshire 3

Also ran—Belgian Boy (G. Goswell), Len's Choice (D. Dick).

Off 1.20. (Winner trained by Hall.)

Betting—11 to 10 agst. Len's Choice, 4 to 1 PIVOTAL, 5 to 1 Radiant Mystery, 6 to 1 any other.

Won by five lengths; two lengths.

1.45—OAKLY HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. 2½ m.

Mrs. R. D. Cohen's b. g. ITALIAN SUMMER, by Rising Glass—Carini, a, 11-6	M. Connors 2
Capt. H. Lumsden's FOXTROT, a, 12-3	Mr. Kindersley 3

Also ran—Scotch Eagle (Pulford), Crockanour (W. Gurney), Waterford Glass II. (W. Stott), Agricola (Mr. C. Barry).

Off 1.48. (Winner trained by Powell.)

Betting—7 to 4 agst. ITALIAN SUMMER, 3 to 1 Foxtrot, 4 to 1 each Scotch Eagle and Waterford Glass II., 10 to 1 any other.

Won by three lengths; two lengths.

2.15—LUDLOW HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 200 sovs. 2 m.

Lord Cawley's ch. g. FORMIDABLE, by Llangibby Lad—Portia, a, 11-5	J. Hamey 1
Mr. E. W. Merrell's FULLMAN, a, 11-3	Mr. A. Hatfield 2
Mr. J. Davis' BURNT HEATHER, 6, 10-12	R. Piggott 3

Also ran—Aubretia (H. Richards), Fosterd, Gryphon (J. Moloney), Bath Chap (W. Stott).

Off 2.16. (Winner trained by Paterson.)

Betting—11 to 8 agst. Gryphon, 4 to 1 Bath Pullman, and Burnt Heather, 10 to 1 Aubretia. Won by three lengths; four lengths.

2.45—SELLING HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 1,000 sovs. 2 m.

Mrs. R. D. Cohen's b. g. by G. OVERDRAFT—Bye by S. Tudwal—Draft, 6, 11-6	Mr. W. Parvin 1
Mr. A. Field's BAY ROCK, a, 10-5	E. Foster 2
Mrs. M. Roberts's RED STANDARD, a, 10-12	Mr. Haney 3

Also ran—Lady Picton II. (T. Costello), Dragon (W. Gurney), Pipin Rock (F. Gurney), trained by Powell.)

Off 2.47. (Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. OVERDRAFT, 9 to 2 Bay Rock, 5 to 1 Red Standard, 6 to 1 Dark Dragon, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by ten lengths; two lengths.

3.15—JUVENILE HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. Three years old. 1¼ m.

Mr. W. Phillip's b. g. TWITWALL, by St. Todwal—Trout Call, 10-7	Mr. W. Parvin 1
Mr. W. J. Peck's BUCHAN'S PRIDE, 10-7	Mr. A. Wandby 2
Mr. A. D. McAlpine's ROLLANBUTT, a, 10-7	Mr. T. Thornton 3

Also ran—Bohemia (W. Parvin), Jolomey 3 (Morgan), Berkeley Arms (P. Mullen), Hankie (H. Chesham), Rag (Mr. Dick).

(Winner trained by Owner.)

Betting—9 to 2 agst. Rollanbutta, 7 to 2 Bohemia, 6 to 1 Buchan's Pride, 9 to 2 Handkerchief, 10 to 1 TROUTWAL any other.

3.45—OPEN STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. 3m.

Mr. V. H. Smith's b. g. FAIR RICHARD, by Post Laureate—Furlesse's Fair	C. Rhodes 1
Mr. A. D. McAlpine's SOCRATES, 6, 10-7	J. Moloney 2

Off 3.46. (Winner trained by Withington.)

Betting—9 to 4 on Socrates.

Won by a short head.

LONDON BETTING—YESTERDAY.

Bookmakers were very chary with their offers yesterday on the Cambridgeshire, and it was impossible to compile a reliable list of quotations, no two the same. By post—Six months, £3; three months, £2/5/. Head Office—11 D'Olier street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

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COURSING.

KILMOGANNY.

SOFT HARES AND LONG SLIPS.

Weak hares, as a rule, mean long slips and poor coursing, and, the majority of the hares which were driven out at Kilmoganny yesterday being rather soft and the deliveries unusually long for a short park, the quality of the sport left much to be desired.

It was, perhaps, the least enjoyable of the numerous meetings which have been held at this venue, and with so many casualties among the game, and the coursing no more interesting than dog racing, the big company had little to enthuse over. It was an exceptional experience for visitors to Kilmoganny, where the sport is generally the best of its class, and hard luck on the club that they were not able to furnish a better day's sport.

A feature was the success of the Kildare courser, Mr. Harte, who with five dogs won one of the stakes and divided another. He was represented in a couple in the Kilmoganny Stakes for bitch puppies, of which Hidden Pride proved the better in all respects. It was thought that in the decoding course with Orveen she would not have speed enough for her, but in a fine set-to the Kildare bitch got the turn, and, scoring the second very smartly, she never left the issue in doubt in a short spin. But, smart though the winner is, she may not turn out to be as good a puppy as Hidden Jem, which divided the Carrahill Stakes with Mr. T. O'Brien's Odd Blade, another useful stamp of young dog, sent on from Ballincolly.

It is not often that one sees puppies running in stakes of this sort, but these two ran their courses extremely well, and may figure prominently at other meetings later in the season. Hidden Pride, however, is a determined bitch, who will likely develop into a good open country greyhound before the season has advanced far.

A versatile performer is Champagne Charlie, who, after a short season on the track at Shelbourne Park, turned out at the Coolock meeting and won a stake. At this meeting he also raised four flags in capital style. There were some useful dogs in the Trial Stakes, but not one of them could have shown pace over Champagne Charlie, which went a good bat and found hares to suit him.

There were not any "fliers" in the All-Aged Stakes. On the first run down the best of them seemed to be Mirabeau, which Mr. Matthews bought on from Limerick, but he failed to run on, and in the deciding course was well led and outfooted by one from Mr. Sawtell's kennels in Melksham Queer Times.

TRIAL STAKE—For 16 puppies. Winner, £14; second, £6; third and fourth, £2 each.

Mr. M. J. Mulhall's be. d. Mixed Woods (Melksham Tom—Marble Fire) beat Mr. C. Power's r. f. d. Kilnaboy Boy (Beaded Dick—Conner).

Mr. H. Sawtell's bd. d. Melksham Dark (Chevaller—Gaulstown Pride) beat Mr. R. Kennedy's w. f. d. Wilful Dick (Black Friar—Brown Jessie).

Mr. P. McSweeney's r. d. Market Price (Beaded Dick—Graceful Lane) beat Mr. P. Hickey's Honest Victory (Brilliant Victory—Dakota).

Miss B. Keegan's b. w. d. Denetina (Dennystown) beat Mr. M. O'Gorman's bk. d. Rival Speed (Cheerful Speed—Flashy Alice), disq.

Mr. M. O'Connell's bd. w. d. Champagne Charlie (Cheerful Speed—Na Boc Ei) beat Mr. P. Egan's f. f. d. Evening Rambler (Garmoilcon—Out o' the Dumps).

Mr. H. Sawtell's r. d. Melksham Director (Three Speed) beat Mr. J. Hughes' w. f. d. Hailstone Dick (Beaded Dick—Flying Column).

Mr. D. J. Gorey's bd. d. Fusion (Beaded Dick—Gabbling Widow) beat Mr. J. Hadnett's f. d. Bert's Desire (Beaded Dick—Gay Damsel II.).

Mr. P. Cantwell's bd. b. Constant Confusion (Button Dispute—Grape Wine) beat Mr. M. Curry's b. b. Cateress (Chevalier—Iceask Belle).

II.

Mixed Words beat Melksham Dark.
Market Price beat Denetina.
Champagne Charlie beat Melksham Director.
Fusion beat Constant Confusion.

III.

Mixed Words beat Market Price.
Champagne Charlie beat Fusion.

IV.

Champagne Charlie beat Mixed Words.

KILMOGANNY STAKE—For 16 bitch puppies. Winner, £20; second, £8; third and fourth, £2 each.

Mr. J. Walsh's f. Winning Whistle (Jedderfield—Steam Whistle) beat Miss K. Donovan's r. Nah Sullow (Beaded Dick—Mah-a-Callin).

Miss M. Walsh's bk. Sunny Swanee (Cheerful Speed—Lady Westcourt) beat Mr. L. O'Shea's bd. Sea O'Kippeen (Fighting Pat—Ready Soon).

Mrs. J. O'Keeffe's r. Orveen (Melksham Tom—Orveen) beat Mr. D. Broderick's w. bk. Heather White (Cheerful Speed—Lady Melba).

Mr. T. Harte's r. f. Hidden Maid (Three Speed—Hidden Hall (10), 4 and 3.

Mr. T. Harte's bd. Hidden Pride (Beaded Dick—Silver Waves) beat Mr. J. Hughes' bd. Hirh Flyer (Beaded Dick—Flying Column).

Mr. J. Crotty's f. Classic Lady (Cheerful Speed—Coolnamuck Lass) beat Mr. P. Purcell's f. Pricelist (Beaded Dick—Silver Waves).

Mr. P. Barden's bk. Lucky Peggy (Cheerful Speed—Chaney Lady) beat Mr. P. J. Moore's bd. Irish Scenery (Beaded Dick—Irish Sea).

Mr. R. Dowding's bd. w. Rebel Dame (Irish Cheer—Very Busy) beat Mr. T. Phelan's bd. Pidgeon's Wing (Farrathee—Waterford Cailin).

II.

Winning Whistle beat Sunny Swanee.
Orveen beat Hidden Maid.
Hidden Pride beat Classic Lady.
Lady Peggy beat Rebel Dame.

III.

Orveen beat Winning Whistle.
Hidden Pride beat Lady Peggy.

IV.

Hidden Pride beat Orveen.

BLACKBOG STAKE—For 16 all-ages. Winner, £30; second, £12; third and fourth, £5 each.

Mr. W. Quane's r. d. Quirk (Shady Business—Keen Steady) beat Mr. H. Sawtell's bd. d. Darius (Benny—Tennis Drive).

Mr. G. Rely's bk. d. Camp Fire (Cheerful Challenge—Sleeping Water) beat Miss M. Connolly's and Mr. M. Walsh's bd. d. Cara-ma-Chree (Three Speed—Cara Dilis).

Miss M. Connolly's and Mr. M. Walsh's f. d. Cara-ma-Garrid (Three Speed—Cara Dilis) beat Mr. E. Wall's (Gilbert's r. f. d. Chance 'im Again (Jamie—Jessie's Dream).

Mr. S. G. Mathew's bk. d. Mirabeau (Three Speed—Merveille) beat Miss S. Carroll's bd. d. Lesquence (First Light—Cait-ni-Dhuner).

Mr. H. Sawtell's r. d. Melksham Queer Times (Three Speed—Waltz Away) beat Mr. D. J. Gorey's w. f. d. Gospatrick (Beaded Dick—Gabbling Innocents).

Mr. T. Murphy's f. d. Sergeant (Heraklas—Beauties Bay) beat Mr. T. Harte's bd. d. Hidden Rascal (Beaded Dick—Silver Waves).

Mrs. W. Henebry's bk. b. Harpist (High Mover—Maurah Dubh) beat Mr. P. Kerwick's bd. d. Bimdled Dove (Quality Tells—Merry Lady II.).

Mr. J. Ryan's bk. b. Ruby Lass (Civil Court—Ruby Gift) beat Mr. J. O'Farrell's bk. b. Romola (First Light—Mastlhoreen Oge).

II.

Quirt beat Camp Fire.
Mirabeau beat Cara-na-Garrid.
Melksham Queer Times beat Sergeant.
Harpist beat Rube Lass.

III.

Mirabeau beat Quirt.
Melksham Queer Times beat Harpist.

IV.

Melksham Queer Times beat Mirabeau.

CURRAHILL STAKE—For 16 two-course maidens. Winner, £15; second, £6; third and fourth, £1 10s. each.

Mr. P. Tyler's Tasty Bugler beat Mr. M. Curry's Disputed Grapes.

Mr. D. J. Gorey's Grading Brand beat Mr. R. P. Byrne's Past History.

Mr. J. J. Crotty's Canister beat Mr. J. F. Knox's Knocteran Boy.

Mr. T. O'Brien's Odd Blade beat Mr. T. Cornick's Sleepview Dick.

Mr. P. Carroll's Leah Gorm beat Mrs. M. J. Mangall's Kermlin.

Mr. P. Harte's Hidden Jew beat Mr. F. J. Murphy's Highland Laddie.

Mr. P. Harte's Hidden Snake beat Mr. D. J. Gorey's Birdlike.

Mr. E. Furniss's Karagan beat Mr. E. O'Connell's Green Eyes.

II.

Grading Brand beat Tasty Bugler.
Odd Blade beat Canister.
Hidden Jew beat Leah Gorm.
Hidden Snake beat Karagan.

III.

Hidden Jew beat Grading Brand.
Odd Blade beat Hidden Snake.
Stakes divided.

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BOXING.

HILL AND MORACCHINI AT QUEEN'S HALL.

A programme, which included four international contests, was staged at Queen's Hall, London, last night. The principal fight was that between Johnny Hill (Scotland), the British Fly-weight Champion, and Francois Moracchini (France). The contest was made at 8st 13lb., and at the weights early in the day it was seen that Hill held an advantage of 2lbs.

The advantage of promoting a boxing tournament at Queen's Hall was a crowded fiasco. There probably were 1,000 spectators, and the hall echoed in its emptiness to the audible comments of these present.

Hill and Moracchini were billed to fight for a purse of £1,250, but it was certain that there was not anything like that amount of money in the hall. Details—

15 ROUNDS—JOHNNY HILL (SCOTLAND) v. FRANCOIS MORACCHINI (FRANCE).

Hill gave a brilliant display of hard hitting in the opening round. Moracchini is famous for his powers of resistance and recovery, but he was a punching block for Hill, and took considerable punishment. During the third round Hill landed a low on several occasions, but Moracchini fought on.

Moracchini began to fight with ferocious abandon in the fourth round, and he landed a fine left hook. The Frenchman was ready to take Hill's punishes, being more concerned with attack than defence. As the fight went on Moracchini took more and more punishment. His ability to withstand it was due to his stamina, but never before had he been so outclassed in an English ring.

In the eighth round Hill lifted his opponent on to the ropes with a terrific left jolt. Then the Scot punched away with both hands, but still Moracchini stood up to terrific punching, and lasted out a terrible round.

In the ninth round Moracchini was reduced to pulp, but was still fighting, when the referee, Jack Bloomfield, stopped the fight, awarding Hill the verdict. Moracchini then was in a very bad state.

CAMOGUIDHEACHT.

DUBLIN V. MEATH.

The inter-county match, Dublin v. Meath, takes place at the Elmgrove Grounds, Cabra, at 3.30 p.m., on Sunday next. This is the first of a series for the cup and gold medals. Dublin has made an exhaustive pick from the city teams, and a great game is expected to be the outcome. Meath has had a successful League competition some years ago, but a single team selected from various centres now does duty for the county.

Undoubtedly, they have the stronger side, and it will be interesting to see how they fare against their more experienced sisters from the Metropolis. Mrs. Sean O'Duffy will referee.

GOLF.

THE LADIES' FOURSOMES.

MISS CECIL LEITCH BEATEN.

The field in the Ladies' Foursome Tournament, promoted by "Eve," was reduced to four couples at the conclusion of yesterday's play at the Ranelagh Club, London. All the celebrated players were eliminated with the exception perhaps of Mrs. Percy, who was Scottish champion two years ago, and Miss Leetham, who has played a good deal of county golf for Yorkshire.

Among the defeated in the fourth round yesterday were Miss Cecil Leitch, who has won many national titles, and her partner, Miss Diana Esmond, the girl champion in 1926. Their partnership did not blend well. They were 3 down at the fifth, but won the next three holes to square the match. It was bole about to the end, and the issue was carried to the twentieth green before a decision was reached. Here Miss Esmond fluffed her approach, and that caused the loss of the hole and the match to Mrs. Johnston and Mrs. Crombie (13). Details:—

FIFTH ROUND.

Lady Alness and Miss Leetham (11) beat Miss Knox-Gore and Mrs. Barton (15), 4 and 3.

Mrs. Percy and Miss Strain (14) beat Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Latham Hall (10), 4 and 3.

Mrs. Herlot Glen and Mrs. Cashman (18) beat Mrs. Johnston and Mrs. Crombie (13), 4 and 2.

Mrs. Greenlees and Mrs. Coats (11) beat Miss Barr and Miss Nebum (6), 3 and 1.

CLUB NOTICES AND REPORTS.

ROYAL DUBLIN.—To-morrow, John Lumsden Memorial Putter. The Draw. Byes into second round—J. St. C. Dallas, J. Cassidy, H. S. Watson, Walter Callan, Kenneth Dockrell, J. Robb. First Round—W. L. Sainsbury v. L. R. Shiddrick; R. A. Anderson v. R. T. Cherry; C. F. Cooke v. G. N. Reddin; J. A. McAravey v. W. N. Foster; J. V. McDaniel v. A. Chance; J. H. Webb v. T. V. Chance; A. O. Crawford v. W. F. Bennett; F. M. Maguire v. Fergus O'Connor; C. Bailey v. G. F. Sparrow; P. E. Matthews v. T. G. Brown; A. W. Kelly v. P. Glynn; Keith Meares v. J. D. Walsh; W. E. Glover v. T. Johnson; G. F. McCarthy v. P. A. Acheson; J. Fielding v. J. P. O'Flaherty; Arthur T. Ellis v. M. T. Burke; W. A. Redmond v. W. R. Armstrong; H. M. Eustace v. J. W. Parkes; L. M. Reed v. R. C. Simton; T. Healy v. Kenneth Reddin; W. S. Hill v. J. B. McArevey. Byes into second round—A. E. Corbett, J. G. Greene, R. F. Holmes, D. Finn, R. G. Leonard. First round to be finished by 2 o'clock. All matches to be played to a finish.

PORTMARNOCK.—October medals will be played for to-morrow. Qualifying round for St. Andrew's Cup on Saturday, October 22nd.

IRISH PRESS (G.S.—Next Sunday (by permission of the club), at Newlands, C. W. Frith Memorial Cup and Barton Cup. Intending competitors should notify Hon. Secretary this evening. Buses from Inchicore.

ISLAND.—To-morrow, men's competition, nine holes, strokes. Post entries; choose opponents. Saturday, November 5—Semi-open mixed foursome v. bogey. Post entries; choose opponents.

HERMITAGE.—Postponed Saturday Cup to-morrow.

CURRAGH.—Curragh Cup open to clubs in Co. Kildare won by C. Odlum, Co. Kildare—score 68. 16th inst.—Qualifying round Paget Cup, 18 holes, strokes; first eight to qualify for match play. Draws 10 a.m. and 2 p.m

KNIGHTS OF THE ROAD GOLFING SOCIETY.

President's Prize at Greystones on Sunday, 16th inst. First draw 10.15 a.m.—(Advt.)

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RUGBY.

CLUB NOTICES.

LANSDOWNE ROAD.—Members of Lansdowne and Wanderers are requested to note that possession of fixture cards or receipts for subscription for current season are essential to secure free admission to matches at Lansdowne road on and after Monday next.

WANDERERS.—Members desiring tickets for the Ireland v. N.S.W. match should apply in writing to the Hon. Sec., 25 South Frederick street.

METHODIST COLLEGE v. ARMAGH ROYAL SCHOOL.—Played at Armagh and resulted:—Methodist College B—3 goal 2 tries (11 points); Armagh—3 tries (9 points).

PALMERSTON.—Members desiring tickets for the New South Wales match on 29th November should apply to the Hon. Sec., T. F. Dallaghan, 52 South Circular road, Portobello.

LANSDOWNE v. CARDIFF.

In connection with this match, which is to be played at Lansdowne road on Monday next, intending spectators are reminded that to-morrow (Saturday) is the last day on which tickets can be purchased at reduced prices, as follows:—Admission, 1/- (day of match 6d. extra); stand tickets 1/- (day of match 6d. extra); combined admission and stand tickets, 1/6 (day of match 1/6 extra). Only schoolboys wearing school caps admitted free. Tickets on sale at Messrs. J. & Fox and Co., Eason and Co., and Crotty's Ltd.

TO-MORROW'S SENIOR MATCHES.

Blackrock v. Dublin University, Williamstown.
N.I.F.C. v. Lansdowne, Belfast.
Malone v. Palmerston, Belfast.
Wanderers v. University College, Lansdowne road.
Rective Rangers v. Monkstown, Donnybrook.
Clontarf v. Old Wesley, Castle avenue.

CROSS-CHANNEL RESULT.

	Points.		Points.
Aberavon	6	Abertillery	0

King's Hospital (S.C.T.)	5
Wesley College (S.C.T.)	5
King's Hospital (under 14)	9
Belvedere College (under 14)	0

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ASSOCIATION.

COUNCIL MEETING, F.S.A.

A meeting of the Council of the Free State Association was held yesterday, when permission was granted to the Leinster League to play the Scottish Alliance on Saturday, 22nd October, at Dalymount Park, and to the Munster Association to play the Scottish Alliance at Cork the following day.

Bohemians secured permission to play Glasgow Celtic at Dalymount Park on 28th April next.

In connection with the case of W. Burns, who was suspended by the Irish Free State Association for breach of contract with the Shelbourne F.C., correspondence was read from the United States Association, which stated that all their local associations had been warned that this player was under suspension. A letter from Burns and a cablegram from the Falls River Club, asking the Association to raise the suspension, was also read. The Falls River Club seeks to have the player transferred to their club from the Philidelphia Club.

It was agreed that the suspension on Burns should stand, and that his letter, along with the cablegram, should be sent to the United States Association for necessary action.

A commission was set up to enquire into the alleged misconduct at the Free State League match between Dundalk and Shamrock Rovers, at Dundalk.

It was decided to exempt Cobh Ramblers, Cork City, Drumcondra and Bendigo from the Qualifying Cup, and include them in the Senior Cup competition.

Draw for the Qualifying Cup, matches to be played on or before 5th November:—

Munster—Victoria Celtic v. Barrackton United; Bohemians v. Cork Celtic; Waterford Celtic v. Cahir Park; Mallow v. Fermoy.

Leinster—Mullingar v. Frankford; Strandville v. Vickers'; Edenville v. University College; St. Mary's United v. Richmond Rovers; B.S.U. v. Glasnevin.

LAWN TENNIS.

THE CHAMPIONSHIPS AT QUEEN'S CLUB.

There were two remarkable matches in the fourth round of the Men's Singles event in the Covered Court Championships at Queen's Club, London, yesterday. The "eliminating" rounds were finished, and the last four remaining are D. M. Greig, E. Higgs, S. M. Jacob, and G. R. O. Crole Rees.

First Higgs had a hard and protracted match with Nigel Sharpe, whom he beat by three sets to two, after losing the first two. Then the outstanding match of the day was staged between D. M. Greig and C. H. Kingsley. Those two experienced players thrilled the large crowd by their excellent tennis. Each won sets, until in the decider Greig were down his opponent, and won the set 6-4 for the match.

The semi-final round of the Women's Singles was also reached, but the games resulted as expected, and Mrs. John Hill will now meet Miss Eileen Bennett, and Miss Goldsack will oppose Miss C. Hardie.

ANNADALE.—The winter session opens on Saturday next. Applications for membership, which is contingent on membership of the Fairview C.Y.M.S., should be made to Hon. Sec., Annadale Lodge, Fairview.

BILLIARDS.

NEWMAN v. DAVIS.

Newman was within 861 points of Davis, to whom he concedes 2,000 in 16,000, when the players finished yesterday afternoon's session at Thurston's, London. The champion scored 704, and Davis 234. The best break of the session was 447 (including 34 close cannons) by Newman. The only other three-figure break of the afternoon was 196 unfinished by Newman. Davis's best effort was 90. Interval score:—Davis (receives 2,000), 5,527; Newman (in play), 4,666.

Closing scores:—Davis (rec. 2,000), 5,967; Newman (in play), 5,335.

HOCKEY.

PRINCIPAL MATCHES TO-MORROW.

National Bank v. Three Rock Rovers, Kimmage.
Dalkey v. Railway Union, Stillorgan road.
Pembroke Wanderers v. Corinthians, Serpentine avenue.
Dublin University v. Monkstown, College Park.

CROSS-COUNTRY RUNNING.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.—At the annual general meeting the following were elected for the season:—President—J. P. Finnegan. Committee—J. Clinton, William McKay, P. Cusack, P. McEvoy, J. Cullen, and M. Saunders. Captain—J. Cullen. Vice-Captain—J. Clinton. Hon. Secretary and Treasurer—P. J. O'Connor, 158 North Strand road. Handicappers—J. Cullen, J. Clinton, J. P. Finnegan. Headquarters—Melrose L.T.C., Fairview.

CATHOLIC TRUTH SOCIETY.

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man will be My disciple, let him deny himself, take up his cross daily, and follow Me." No; but it was creating an atmosphere which was definitely hostile to the faith, and it was doing poor, wretched humanity the supreme injustice of hiding from it the one consideration—namely, loyalty to Christ—which could soften pain and inspire to nobleness and unselfishness of life. But even that did not explain away bigotry and *mala fides*. There were those who deliberately and with their eyes open viciously attacked the Catholic Church. For them there was little excuse. But where hostility was not of the vicious sort it was a sobering thought, and might well be borne in mind, that if Christ founded one Church, and only one, there were about three hundred false and absolutely unauthorised forms of so-called Christianity in these islands.

IRELAND'S DESTINY.

If their faith and loyalty were to be really living they must think of those who lived in error and darkness. They saw what blood and treasure had been poured forth a few years ago in some nameless cause, and surely this should be an infinitely greater zeal in the high cause of Jesus Christ and His Church. Ireland would never become one of the Great Powers of the earth, and they certainly would ambition no such thing for her if she would thereby fall to the appallingly low level of the nations they called great. If it be in a special way Ireland's destiny to work for the faith, they should make every effort to supply workers for the harvest field.

With a sound Catholic Press in Ireland and a system of well-stocked, well organised, Catholic-spirited libraries, they might look forward to a deeper and firmer grasp of the faith and a greater intensity of Catholic life, both public and private, and, in consequence, they might hope, with God's grace, for a greater zeal for the conversion of the non-Catholic and the pagan.

Mr. Michael Christie, moving a vote of thanks to Father Clune, said that the Catholic Truth Society was making a valuable contribution to the cause of Catholicism in the country by bringing forward considerations of the Church and its various attributes.

An important matter was the spread of good literature for the deepening and intensifying of the spirit of Catholicism. He also referred to the leakage from the Church—not so much of the normal leakage, such as people who emigrated with a very superficial knowledge of religion—but something more serious—namely, the number of Catholic men and women in the country who sold their own and their children's birthright for a mess of pottage. He called attention to the work of the Catholic Protection and Rescue Society of Ireland, from which it appeared that proselytising agents spend over £50,000 annually to rob their people of the faith, and they had generally about 3,000 Cathlio poor, chiefly women and children, under process of perversion.

THE FAITH.

Mr. Barry Egan, T.D., seconding the vote of thanks, said that the Catholic Church was indispensable to them, and they, as part of it, were to his mind indispensable to the Church. The Faith that Irish Catholics had had handed down to them was the most priceless gift that God could have endowed them with, and it was for lay Catholics to spread that Faith in their own different ways. He referred to the Catholics of France, and said that their lives were an example. They live in an atmosphere of moral and material degradation; but still their lives shone out to a degree which he had never met before. They wanted to develop Catholic organisations in this country.

The Bishop of Dromore, in putting the vote of thanks, said that the Catholic Church had often been charged with intolerance; but Father Clune had shown how reasonable the Church was. He urged Catholics to support the missionary work of the Church, as those who went away on the Missions had no means of living except by the help sent to them.

The vote of thanks was passed amidst applause.

THE RECEPTION.

In the evening a reception was held in the Round Room of the Mansion House. There was a large and distinguished gathering, including members of the Hierarchy and clergy, the President and Ministers of the Executive Council, the Speaker and the members of the Dail, members of the Consular Service, and representatives of the professions.

The visitors were received by the Most Rev. Dr. Harty, Archbishop of Cashel. There was a large number of ladies present, and many wore the conventional dress of the Papal Court—the mantilla and black dress, which lent a distinctive, if somewhat sombre, note to the gathering.

A pleasant musical programme was discoursed by the Harmonic String Band.

The Archbishop of Cashel said that at the ordinary meetings during the week they had had a larger number present than they ever had on former occasions. That showed that the work of the Catholic Truth Society was being more and more appreciated by the people. He was delighted to be able to congratulate the Executive Committee of the Society on their great success—they had done wonders, and they were all deeply grateful to them.

One thing that pleased him above all others was to find that their gatherings were Catholic in every sense of the word. Every phase and class of Catholic life in the country and every political party were represented. (Applause.) They wanted all their Catholic people at their gatherings, and, thanks be to God, they were all coming.

He was deeply grateful to all who had come there that evening, and he gave them his blessing, and prayed that before that time twelve months they should have their grand Cardinal in full and perfect health in their midst. (Applause.)

Those present included:—The Bishops of Dromore, Raphoe, Achonry, and Waterford; President Cosgrave, accompanied by Colonel O'Reilly, A.D.C.; Professor M. O'Sullivan, Minister for Education; Mr. M. Hayes, Speaker of the Dail; Senators General Sir William Hickie, K.C.M.G., C.B., Professor M. Moore, and Thomas Farren; R. Egan, T.D.; Fahy, T.D.; P. S. O'Reilly, T.D.; T. Sheehy, T.D.; P. J. Gorry, T.D.; O. Esmonde, T.D.; Herr von Dehn, German Consul; Monsieur Goor, Belgian Consul; D. O'Sullivan, Clerk of the Senate; J. R. Hamill, State Solicitor Co. Louth; Formac Breathnach, President of the Gaelic League; John P. Boland, Secretary, Catholic Truth Society of England; Sir Joseph Glynn, C.B.E.; Professor J. J. Murphy, Chairman of Electricity Board; the Dowager Countess of Gainsborough, General E. O'Duffy, Commissioner of the Civic Guard; Senator Mrs. Wyse Power, Dr. Louis Cassidy, the Very Rev. Canon Monaghan, P.P.; the Very Rev. J. Kelly, P.P.; Major Gerald Keane, the Rev. F. J. Dudley, Judge D. O'Brien, George Moonan, the Right Rev. Monsignor Walker, P.P.; Professor Howley, Galway; the Very Rev. Canon Greaney, Adm.; the Rev. J. B. O'Connell, C.C.; the Very Rev. H. M'Dwyer, P.P.; Dr. M. S. Walsh, the Rev. J. Fitzgibbon, C.C.; the Very Rev. Dr. Coffey, D.Ph.; the Rev. G. Turley, C.C.; Mrs. N. Tynan O'Mahony, Miss M. A. Roland, Miss F. M. P. O'Donovan, Sir Henry Grattan Bellew, Bart.; the Rev. H. Gaffney, O.P.; the Very Rev. J. J. M'Glade, P.P.; T. J. Fullerton, solicitor; Surgeon M'Donn, M. Christie, Very Rev. Canon Lyons, P.P.; J. A. O'Carroll, M.A.; Miss M'Kee, M. O'Reilly, M. C. Maguire, K.C., M. J. Walsh and Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. James Murray, J. B. Whelehan.

THE CULWICK CHORAL SOCIETY.

At the annual general meeting of the Culwick Choral Society, held at the Abbey Lecture Hall, Lower Abbey street, Dublin, last evening, Mr. A. G. Wolseley presiding, the Treasurer's financial statement was submitted, showing that the new season was being started with a considerable balance in hand. Reference was made to the work of preparation for the ladies' choral competition and the chief choral competition at the National Welsh Eisteddfod, which the Society undertook. The Society's success in both these competitions was a matter of gratification to all Irish lovers of choral music.

It was arranged to give two concerts during the season 1927-1928. Miss Dorothy Silke, the well-known soprano, has been engaged as soloist for the first concert.

There are vacancies for male voices in the Society, and applicants should communicate with Miss Culwick, 62 Upper Leeson street. Those desirous of becoming non-performing members of the Society can obtain particulars on application to the Secretary, 1 St. Lawrence road, Clontarf.

IMPORTED FOREIGN GOODS.

The Council of the Irish Industrial Development Association (Incorporated) at their last meeting (Sir Nugent T. Everard in the chair), decided to draw to the attention of the Customs authorities the practice which appears to be rather generally followed of importing foreign goods under misleading titles, contrary to the Merchandise Marks Acts, and to ask the Commissioners to instruct Customs officers at the various ports and border stations to examine "free" goods as well as "dutiable" goods for false markings.

THE MAKING OF ORDERS.

MASTER'S JURISDICTION QUESTIONED.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SULLIVAN, MR. JUSTICE MEREDITH AND MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE.)

The question of the jurisdiction of the Master of the High Court was again before the Court, arising out of an action of the Royal Bank against John Hanna. The present application was one on behalf of the defendant for an order that the order of the Master declaring certain moneys well charged on defendant's property, and directing the sale of certain premises, be set aside and discharged on the ground that the Master had no jurisdiction to make such order.

The Court, in view of a memorandum from the Master, intimated that the application must be argued on the basis that the case had been dealt with by the Master as an uncontested case.

Mr. Henry, K.C., who, with Mr. Walker (instructed by Mr. W. G. Armstrong), appeared for the defendant, said that according to Article 64 of the Constitution judicial matters were in the control of the judges, the whole authority of the Master being confined to Sub-section 2 of Section 5 of the Courts Officers Act. The authority of the Master was such authority as was conferred on him by Statute or by Rules of Court. The summons in the present case was a summary summons, the procedure in respect to which was set out in Order 3 of the Rules of Court. Order 3 gave the general procedure and powers under summary summonses that could be brought into court, and Order 13 defined the orders that the Master might make. That order gave the full measure of power or authority that the Master had to make orders, and counsel submitted that the summons which had been brought in this case did not come within Order 13, and that the Master had no jurisdiction to make any order in this case, which was a full-blown mortgage suit where every relief was asked for.

Mr. Justice O'Byrne—What meaning do you give to Order 13, Rule 2, Sub-head 13 ("an order for final judgment in uncontested applications")?

Mr. Henry—Where there is a final judgment application, and it is not contested, the order gives the Master power to give judgment in that case.

Mr. Phelps, K.C., who, with Mr. Wilson (instructed by Mr. A. W. Purefoy), appeared for the plaintiffs, stated how the rules came into force, and contended that, no matter what the judgment of the Court might be with reference to the order for sale, the part of the order that dealt with the appointment of a receiver could not be attached, because the whole of his friend's argument was based on this, that the whole jurisdiction of the Master was set out in Order 13.

Mr. Henry—I accept that. There was a deed appointing a receiver.

Mr. Wilson followed on the same side, and, Mr. Walker having replied,

The Court reserved judgment.

SALE OF CO. CORK FARM.

ALLEGED INTERRUPTION OF BIDDING.

A case was heard in which William J. Cronin, cycle agent, of Millstreet, Cork, appealed from an order of Circuit Court Judge Kenny approving the sale of a farm of 33 acres, situate at Killowen, in the division of Macroom, Co. Cork, to John Shea for a sum of £1,800.

The action had been brought by the plaintiff for the purpose of setting aside the sale of the farm, which was portion of the assets of Andrew Hickey, deceased, for a sum of £1,935. The action was brought against the purchaser, John Shea, and the widow of the deceased, who, as administratrix, sold the farm.

The evidence showed that on the day of the sale, while the bids were being made at the auction, John Shea, jun., on a bid of £1,735 by Mr. Lenahan, solicitor, of Kanturk, shouted in a loud voice: "Did you come here to-day to grab land?" On this interruption the bidding ceased and the sale stopped. On its resumption after half an hour there were no further bids, and Mr. Lenahan was declared the purchaser. Mr. Lenahan then disclosed the fact that he had been bidding for Mr. John Shea, sen., the defendant.

The Court dismissed the appeal, and confirmed the decision of the County Court Judge.

Mr. John Bartley (instructed by Mr. John Guiney, solicitor, Kanturk) appeared for the plaintiff and appellant; Mr. Joseph O'Connor, K.C., and Mr. Binchy (instructed by Mr. J. J. Lenahan) for the defendant, John Shea; and Mr. H. Moloney, K.C., and Mr. James Reardon (instructed by Mr. Purcell) for the defendant, Katherine Hickey, respondents.

EDENDERRY RENT CASE.

SUPREME COURT JUDGMENT.

(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, MR. JUSTICE FITZGIBBON AND MR. JUSTICE HANNAGHAN.)

Reserved judgment was delivered in favour of the appellant and defendant in the case of Moore v. Davy, the appeal having been brought from a judgment of the Special Appeal Commissioners, varying the decision of the Circuit Judge for King's County in an action brought by the plaintiff, Mrs. Elizabeth Moore, against the defendant, a shopkeeper, of Edenderry, in respect of a dwellinghouse occupied by the plaintiff under a yearly tenancy at a rent of £22 per annum, payable half-yearly.

The plaintiff, it appeared, had claimed £77 rent alleged to be due from 1st May, 1922, to 1st May, 1925. She had habitually paid the poor rates in respect of the premises down to about March, 1921, when she declined to pay them, having regard to the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1898.

The defendant tendered the rent due for the seven and a half years ending 1st May, 1925, less the poor rates which he had paid during that period. The Circuit Judge gave a decree for £70 11s. 11d., the amount of rent due, less £8 8s. in respect of poor rates, and on appeal the Special Commissioners varied the decree by increasing the sum awarded to the plaintiff to the full amount claimed in the writ.

The Court now allowed the appeal, with costs of the appeal and costs in the Court below, holding that the rent reserved in 1912, £22, was not the standard rent of the premises, but was an "increased" rent under the Act of 1923. They also held that the excess of £22 above the standard rent was irrecoverable, unless the excess was not greater than the increase permitted by the Act of 1923. In this case there was no increase of rent permitted, because there had been no notice to quit served and no notice of increase of rent served. The increase was imposed upon the tenant against his will. They accordingly reversed the judgment of the Special Commissioners, and affirmed the decision of the Circuit Judge, but varied it with regard to the gales of rent accrued before 1923.

Mr. Walter Callan (instructed by Mr. T. O'K. White) appeared for the appellant; and Mr. Lavery (instructed by Mr. F. B. O'Toole) for the respondent.

"ANCIENT LIGHTS."

BALLINA TOBACCONIST'S APPEAL.

The hearing was resumed of the appeal by the defendant in the case of Thomas Foy, licensed trader, King's street, Ballina, Co. Mayo, against John Clarke, tobacconist and hairdresser, of the same place, from a judgment of the Special Appeal Commissioners Overend, K.C., and Shannon, K.C., reversing a decision of Circuit Judge Wyse Power, who had dismissed, with £25 expenses, on the merits the plaintiff's action for an injunction, with damages, restraining the defendant, his immediate neighbour, from obstructing the light from two ancient windows, at the rear of his premises, by the erection of a wall and by structural alterations.

Mr. Denning, K.C.; Mr. Carson, K.C., and Mr. Micks (instructed by Messrs. Rutledge and Corr) appeared for the appellant; and Mr. Jellett, K.C.; Mr. Leonard, K.C., and Mr. C. Maguire (instructed by Messrs. Garvey and Huggard) for the respondent.

The arguments had not concluded when the Court rose, and the further hearing was adjourned till Monday next.

RENT OF A FLAT.

BRAY CHAUFFEUR'S APPEAL.

(BEFORE MR. COMMISSIONER OVEREND, K.C., AND MR. COMMISSIONER SHANNON, K.C.)

An interesting appeal, involving the method of fixing the standard rent of a flat in Bray, was opened. The appellant, James McTighe, chauffeur, of 3 Carlisle terrace, Bray, appealed from the decision of Circuit Court Judge Doyle, K.C., as regards the amount at which he had fixed the standard rent of a flat in the house 12 Goldsmith terrace, Bray. The respondent was Edward W. Haughton, manufacturer, of 2 Prince of Wales terrace, Bray.

Mr. Cherry (instructed by Messrs. Murphy and Mallina), opening the appeal on behalf of Mr. McTighe, stated that the house 12 Goldsmith terrace was a large house, and it had been let in flats without any substantial structural alteration. The valuation of the whole house was £46, and it was therefore outside the provisions of the Rent Act, because, in the year 1925, that Act applied outside Dublin only to houses of less than £40 valuation. Mr. Haughton had paid a rent of £100 for the whole house to the head landlord. He had divided the house up into flats, and had let them to separate tenants, of whom Mr. McTighe was one, he having been the tenant of the basement flat at a rent of £52 a year. Mr. Haughton paid £100 to the head landlord, and also paid the rates, and he received £248 from the tenants of the flats, of whom Mr. McTighe was one. Mr. Haughton himself had occupied the ground floor, and the remainder of the house was divided amongst the four tenants, who occupied the basement, first, second and third floors, respectively. Both Mr. Haughton and Mr. McTighe had now left the house.

The Circuit Judge had been asked to apportion the rent of £100, so as to arrive at a figure from which the standard rent of the flat could be calculated. He fixed the standard rent of the flat at £30, and fixed the proportionate parts of the rates payable in respect of the assessment of the flat at £12 2s., and he also decided that the standard rent of the whole house was £100 a year. Counsel contended before the Commissioners that there could be no standard rent fixed for the whole house, although there could be for separate parts of it.

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